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In 1984, the Province of Alberta exported $12.37 billion worth of merchandise to many parts of the world. Exports from Alberta reach countries as diverse as Colombia, Senegal, and Mozambique. In total, these exports represent about 22 per cent of Alberta's gross domestic product making exports an important facet of Alberta economic activity.

Export markets serve to enhance the relatively small domestic market, and by so doing allows for better economies of scale in the production process. It is important therefore, that Alberta continue to look at these export markets as a source of growth and development. The Department of Economic Development, as part of its ongoing mandate, assists in developing and enhancing Alberta businesses' export trade with other countries. The dissemination of trade information is just one aspect of the departments many activities in promoting trade.

The country trade profiles were developed to provide, in a clear and concise manner, a picture of Alberta's (and Canada's) export and import trade with its largest trading partners. Each country profile consists of two facing pages, one for data on Alberta and Canada's leading exports to a particular country, including a five year export performance, and the other with similar data on imports from the same country.

The countries included in this publication were selected on the basis Alberta's exports to them. Only those countries to which Alberta exports one million dollars or more in merchandise were selected. In all, Alberta exported a million dollars or more to 65 countries worldwide during 1984. Listed below are the leading 20 countries and Alberta's exports to them.

COUNTRY	(millions of dollars) 1983	1984
United States	8,103.8	9,358.1
Japan	728.4	653.0
U.S.S.R.	452.8	544.0
People's Republic of China	244.2	189.8
Brazil	146.9	167.6
the Netherlands	109.7	108.6
South Korea	58.7	97.9
Belgium-Luxembourg	42.0	87.8
Taiwan	67.7	87.1
German Democratic Republic (East)	77.7	76.4
United Kingdom	77.2	66.9
Federal Republic of Germany (West)	45.4	54.9
India	18.6	53.4
Iraq	18.6	46.4
Cuba	52.5	45.6
Australia	34.9	44.9
Algeria	30.9	41.9
Tunisia	31.9	40.6
South Africa	23.6	40.1
Indonesia	22.4	38.8
Other Countries	508.6	546.7
TOTAL (All Countries)	10,908.5	12,369.3

The source of data is Statistics Canada, the federal statistical agency. In the case Alberta's export and import data, the figures are often severely underrepresentative. This is because of Alberta's landlocked position.

In the case of export data, Statistics Canada compiles provincial exports on the origin of the "bill of lading". The bill of lading origin is the province in which the goods are first placed on board a carrier destined for export. As a result, significant quantities of an export commodity can leave the province before they are actually exported. This is particulary true of Alberta's grain exports, where the shortfall, according to Alberta Agriculture, is $1.74 billion. Several country profiles will show, on the export side, Alberta Agriculture estimates of Alberta exports of wheat, barley, Canola, flaxseed, oats, or rye. These are additions to the Statistics Canada export total, and have been available only since 1982.

The import data is based on the province of clearance, the province in which the goods clear Customs Canada. Here, the landlocked position of Alberta results in many imports being excluded from provincial data. Overseas imports arriving at either the east or west coast are attributed to the port province. Even imports from the eastern United States often do not appear in Alberta's import total. Consequently, the Alberta import statistics should be used as an indication of import activity and not as a true sum of provincial imports. However, the Canadian import data will serve as an accurate measure of imports from a given country.

GLOSSARY

bbl..... volume in barrels (for petroleum 35 Canadian gallons or 42 U.S. gallons)
cwt..... weight in hundredweights of 100 lb. each
cwtad.... weight in hundredweights of 100 lb. each; air dried
doz..... number of dozens
doz pr... number of pairs in dozens
gal..... volume in Canadian gallons (1 U.S. gal = 0.83 Cdn. gal)
lb..... weight in pounds
mbf..... volume in thousand board feet
mcf..... volume in thousand cubic feet
nes..... not elsewhere specified
pr..... number of pairs
p gal.... volume of alcoholic content in terms of Canadian gallons of the strength of proof (1 U.S. p gal = 0.74 Cdn. p gal)
sq ft.... volume in square feet of 1/4" thickness, other thickness to be converted to the equivalent of 1/4" thickness (eg. 10,000 sq ft of 1/8" plywood = 5,000 sq ft of 1/4" equivalent)
ton..... weight in short tons of 2,000 lb each
1 long ton = 1.12 short tons or 2,240 lb
1 metric ton = 1.1 short tons or 2,205 lb

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ALGERIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Pumps & Pumping Systems		-		31	-
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		10	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		1		6	+ 500.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas, Prod. Machinery & Parts		8		4	- 50.0
Generators, Incl. Self-Contained Generator Sets	6	38		.	- 100.0
Parts for Pumps		12		.	- 100.0
Printed Matter		1		.	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		60		50	- 16.7
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		60		50	- 16.7
Wheat		30,817		41,930	+ 36.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		30,877		41,980	+ 36.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	132,377	170,376	+ 28.7
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	94,737	76,721	- 19.0
Lumber, Softwood	77,440	64,810	- 16.3
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	7,984	21,325	+ 167.1
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	2,166	17,860	+ 724.6
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	16,093	15,276	- 5.1
Prefabricated Buildings & Structures	6,475	12,737	+ 96.7
Other Non-Metallic Mineral Basic Products	2,593	8,020	+ 209.3
Construction Machinery & Equipment	11,825	5,119	- 56.7
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	1,445	4,688	+ 224.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	353,135	396,932	+ 12.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	448,531	452,257	+ 0.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	255	2,612	546	60	50	- 33.5
CANADA	393,083	379,357	497,138	448,531	452,257	+ 3.6

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

ALGERIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	127,983	283,913	+ 121.8
Other Special Transactions, Trade	2,972	15,205	+ 411.6
Fuel Oil	18,811	7,819	- 58.4
Other Beverages	133	26	- 80.5
Engines & Turbines, General Purpose	204	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	150,103	306,963	+ 104.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	150,103	306,963	+ 104.5

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	13	-	-	-
CANADA	12,076	394,744	259,614	150,103	306,963	+ 124.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

ARGENTINA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	72,801 ton	7,643	102,538 ton	12,407	+ 62.3
Clover Seed, Red, Single Cut		-	262,349 lb	145	-
Cattle, Purebred		-	1	79	-
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Materials		-	220 cwt	64	-
Clover Seed, Sweet	233,468 lb	88	174,164 lb	55	- 37.5
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		53	-
Animal Semen, Bovine		57		38	- 33.3
Alcohols & Their Derivatives		-	243 cwt	15	-
Clover Seed	39,683 lb	14	39,683 lb	15	+ 7.1
Plastic Bags		-		11	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		7,802		12,880	+ 65.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		7,970		12,880	+ 61.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	10,965	15,805	+ 44.1
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	3,189	10,333	+ 224.0
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	9,667	8,512	- 11.9
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	7,934	4,363	- 45.0
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	2,617	3,747	+ 43.2
Office Machines & Equipment	2,431	3,386	+ 39.3
Engines & Turbines, General Purpose	3,729	2,478	- 33.5
Whiskey	-	2,116	-
Zinc, Including Alloys	-	1,459	-
Other Textile Fabricated Materials	729	834	+ 14.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	41,261	53,033	+ 28.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	67,184	66,006	- 1.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	8,338	12,726	4,118	7,970	12,880	+ 11.5
CANADA	226,464	149,528	77,809	67,184	66,006	- 26.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

ARGENTINA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Well Casing, New	318 ton	215	816 ton	682	+ 217.2
Pipes CS, Smls Hot Finished, New	259 ton	197	318 ton	266	+ 35.0
Integrated Circuits	20,000	4	162,000	49	**
Pipes CS, Smls Cold Finished, New		-	22 ton	20	-
Rock Drill Bits, Rotary Type		-	4	10	-
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	443 gal	3	1,038 gal	8	+ 166.7
Live Animals		-		7	-
Furniture, Frames & Finished Parts		-		5	-
Construction Toys & Parts		2		2	0.0
Packing, Non Re-Useable		-		1	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		421		1,049	+ 149.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		428		1,049	+ 145.1

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Leather & Leather Fabricated Materials	19,526	27,576	+ 41.2
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	1,599	15,912	+ 895.1
Bars & Rods, Steel	278	14,021	**
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel	1,458	6,554	+ 349.5
Fish & Marine Animals	2,138	5,319	+ 148.8
Electronic Computers	68	4,033	**
Coke of Petroleum & Coal	5,734	3,174	- 44.6
Other Fruit Juices & Concentrates	2,767	2,190	- 20.9
Tea	1,229	2,046	+ 66.5
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	216	1,269	+ 487.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	35,013	82,094	+ 134.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	52,761	92,553	+ 75.4

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	45	38	136	428	1,049	+ 119.7
CANADA	35,884	79,389	58,397	52,761	92,553	+ 26.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

AUSTRALIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude, or Refined	207,696 ton	19,643	195,943 ton	21,377	+ 8.8
Inorganic Bases & Metallic Oxides	721,654 cwt	4,054	3,542,862 cwt	13,363	+ 229.6
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	318,927 cwt	3,519	87,142 cwt	2,219	- 36.9
Contractors Equipment & Tools		506		2,114	+ 317.8
Agricultural Machinery & Equipment		49		677	**
Parts for Cultivators & Weeders		269		663	+ 146.5
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		633		470	- 25.8
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery & Parts		564		320	- 43.3
Soil Prep. Seeding Machinery & Parts		549	38	319	- 41.9
Valves		23		272	**
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		29,809		41,794	+ 40.2
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		33,016		44,921	+ 36.1
Canola		1,803		-	- 100.0
Flaxseed		67		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		34,886		44,921	+ 28.8

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Lumber, Softwood	43,804	74,544	+ 70.2
Sulphur	37,878	50,837	+ 34.2
Newsprint Paper	20,701	40,675	+ 96.9
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	26,508	36,124	+ 36.3
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	19,851	32,412	+ 63.3
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	21,930	28,630	+ 30.6
Fish, Canned	13,879	19,350	+ 39.4
Office Machines & Equipment	15,624	18,164	+ 16.3
Other Inorganic Chemicals	4,741	15,577	+ 228.6
Tractors	4,605	13,339	+ 189.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	209,521	329,652	+ 57.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	437,996	617,384	+ 41.0

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	34,089	81,775	63,288	33,016	44,921	+ 7.1
CANADA	664,954	777,023	648,593	437,996	617,384	- 1.8

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

AUSTRALIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Nickel in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	3,005 cwt	266	5,458 cwt	1,175	+ 341.7
Goods Returned Within Five Years		623		472	- 24.2
Ale, Lager, Porter & Stout	58,606 gal	156	130,282 gal	371	+ 137.8
Packing, Non Re-usable		93		168	+ 80.6
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	14,766 gal	128	18,027 gal	156	+ 21.9
Bars & Rods, Steel, Fabricated	43 ton	28	203 ton	142	+ 407.1
Grape Wines, Sparkling	10,008 gal	80	12,543 gal	110	+ 37.5
Brandy	5,604 p gal	75	6,734 p gal	102	+ 36.0
Geophysical, Mineral Prosp. Eqpt. & Parts		81		74	- 8.6
Tennis & Badminton Equipment & Parts		32		72	+ 125.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,562		2,842	+ 81.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		2,658		3,429	+ 29.0

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Aluminum in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	56,153	81,168	+ 44.5
Raw Sugar	77,413	78,262	+ 1.1
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	82,460	66,507	- 19.3
Meat, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	46,790	44,698	- 4.5
Fruits, Dried or Dehydrated	23,093	25,406	+ 10.0
Fruits & Products, Canned	14,300	15,752	+ 10.2
Other Special Transactions, Trade	4,089	5,646	+ 38.1
Wool & Fine Animal Hair	4,100	5,297	+ 29.2
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	4,924	5,188	+ 5.4
Other Meat & Meat Preparations	4,783	3,568	- 25.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	308,105	331,492	+ 7.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	358,361	380,792	+ 6.3

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,765	8,812	15,984	2,658	3,429	+ 18.1
CANADA	519,860	499,184	440,835	358,361	380,792	- 7.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

AUSTRIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Alcohols & Their Derivatives		-	15,118 cwt	802	-
Refractories		-		371	-
Clover Seed, Alsike	120,151 lb	39	156,527 lb	50	+ 28.2
Commercial Telecommunications Equipment		-		45	-
Fused Alumina, Crude & Grains		-	821 cwt	35	-
Rock Drill Bits		-		15	-
Lubricating Oils & Greases		-	5,000 gal	13	-
Core Drills & Core Drill Bits		-		11	-
Aircraft, Complete With Engines		-	1	7	-
Vegetables, Fresh or Chilled		-	436 lb	5	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		39		1,354	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		137		1,362	+ 894.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	9,781	10,524	+ 7.6
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	7,720	8,170	+ 5.8
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	1,767	4,050	+ 129.2
Iron Ores & Concentrates	6,035	3,122	- 48.3
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	3,321	2,098	- 36.8
Other Motor Vehicles	1,189	2,039	+ 71.5
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	2,900	1,886	- 35.0
Other End Products	2,523	1,468	- 41.8
Materials Handling Machinery & Equipment	838	1,163	+ 38.8
Organic Chemicals	66	988	**
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	36,140	35,508	- 1.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	49,991	45,577	- 8.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	366	395	298	137	1,362	+ 38.9
CANADA	69,430	57,401	41,407	49,991	45,577	- 10.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

AUSTRIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Circuit Breakers & Parts		1,155		523	- 54.7
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	34,484 gal	327	33,754 gal	480	+ 46.8
Arc Welding Electrodes, Steel Stick	311 cwt	61	1,674 cwt	219	+ 259.0
Fertilizer Making Mixing Machinery & Parts		34		124	+ 264.7
Oxy-Acetylene Welding Rods		-	558 cwt	114	-
Tractors & Tractor Parts, Accessories		22		93	+ 322.7
Tacks & Staples	41,230 lb	35	106,083 lb	82	+ 134.3
Skis	15,348 pr	964	1,240 pr	72	- 92.5
Plastics Industry Machinery & Parts		-		71	-
Agricultural Machinery Equipment & Parts		-		66	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,598		1,844	- 29.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		4,448		2,643	- 40.6

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sporting & Recreation Equipment	11,379	14,182	+ 24.6
Plastics & Chemical Industry Machinery	4,353	8,898	+ 104.4
Other Fruit Juices & Concentrates	5,301	7,085	+ 33.7
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel	584	6,044	+ 934.9
Other Basic Hardware	3,713	5,632	+ 51.7
Outerwear, Except Knitted	2,948	4,713	+ 59.9
Medical, Ophthalmic, Orthopaedic Supplies	2,569	4,003	+ 55.8
Organic Chemicals	2,240	3,210	+ 43.3
Man-Made Fibre Yarn & Thread	2,123	2,975	+ 40.1
Other Special Industry Machinery	2,771	2,895	+ 4.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	37,981	59,637	+ 57.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	108,007	155,617	+ 44.1

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,433	3,835	6,803	4,448	2,643	- 6.3
CANADA	95,679	90,471	91,860	108,007	155,617	+ 12.9

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

BANGLADESH

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		-		1,269	-
Chemical Pharm. Prod. Machinery & Parts		1,909		17	- 99.1
Prefabricated Structures & Parts		-		9	-
Generator Parts & Accessories		-		3	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		1	-
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	39,762 ton	4,052		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		5,960		1,299	- 78.2
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		5,960		1,299	- 78.2
Wheat		17,983		14,762	- 17.9
Canola		4,505		637	- 85.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		28,448		16,698	- 41.3

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	77,246	59,985	- 22.3
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Material	5,778	9,386	+ 62.4
Other End Products	3,274	6,636	+ 102.7
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	1,753	6,527	+ 272.3
Copper & Alloys	675	6,243	+ 824.9
Railway & Street Railway Rolling Stock	1,755	2,505	+ 42.7
Aluminum, Including Alloys	666	2,311	+ 247.0
Sulphur	6,435	1,591	- 75.3
Canola	11,077	1,560	- 85.9
Prefabricated Buildings & Structures	332	1,313	+ 295.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	108,991	98,057	- 10.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	114,622	102,783	- 10.3

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	65	-	5,960	1,299	+ 171.4
CANADA	74,500	56,522	120,704	114,622	102,783	+ 8.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

BANGLADESH

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Outdoor Jackets, Men's & Boy's		-	2,136	12	-
Outdoor Jackets		-	1,344	7	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		0		19	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		0		19	-

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Broad Woven Fabrics	10,152	11,864	+ 16.9
Outerwear, Except Knitted	43	1,974	**
Other Textile Fibres	52	306	+ 488.5
Meat, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	-	264	-
Other Special Transactions, Trade	73	104	+ 42.5
Outerwear, Knitted	-	56	-
House Furnishings	9	52	+ 477.8
Other Foods & Materials For Foods	31	38	+ 22.6
Other Textile Fabricated Materials	52	31	- 40.4
Man-Made Fibres	24	30	+ 25.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	10,436	14,719	+ 41.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	10,465	14,745	+ 40.9

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	-	-	19	-
CANADA	11,619	7,459	4,875	10,465	14,745	+ 6.1

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

BARBADOS

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel		-	1,676 ton	1,367	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		510		837	+ 64.1
Pumps & Pumping Systems		-		444	-
Telephone Apparatus Equipment & Parts		1		180	**
Indus. Chem. Specialties & Explosives		-	11,866 cwt	177	-
Laboratory Instr. Equipment & Parts		1		103	**
Mining Machinery, Equipment & Parts		-		95	-
Core Drills & Core Drill Bits & Parts		-		59	-
Maps, Pictures, Greeting Cards, Music		-		18	-
Rock Drill Bits		-		16	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		512		3,296	+ 543.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		693		3,324	+ 379.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	7,786	4,732	- 39.2
Medical & Pharm. Products, In Dosage	3,154	3,027	- 4.0
Other Iron & Steel & Alloys	622	2,755	+ 342.9
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	1,009	2,379	+ 135.8
Meat, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	1,790	1,871	+ 4.5
Special Transactions, Trade	143	1,661	**
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	638	1,526	+ 139.2
Fish, Preserved, Except Canned	1,064	1,213	+ 14.0
Fish, Canned	872	1,064	+ 22.0
Other Paper	1,625	1,008	- 38.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	18,703	21,236	+ 13.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	38,660	39,593	+ 2.4

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	26	48	257	693	3,324	+ 236.2
CANADA	33,453	40,701	32,088	38,660	39,593	+ 4.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

BARBADOS

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Magnetic Tape		-		80	-
Goods Returned Within Five Years		15		60	+ 300.0
Rum	5,262 p gal	44	6,335 p gal	50	+ 13.6
Packing Non Re-usable		7		9	+ 28.6
Charts & Maps		-		9	-
Well Drilling Machinery Apparatus & Parts		-		8	-
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Eqpt. & Parts		8		-	- 100.0
Antiques Over 50 Years Old		6		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		81		216	+ 166.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		81		216	+ 166.7

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Refined Sugar, Molasses & Syrups	3,122	3,925	+ 25.7
Fuel Oil	2,526	1,503	- 40.5
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,232	802	- 34.9
Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	659	663	+ 0.6
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	72	113	+ 56.9
Live Animals	94	87	- 7.4
Telephone & Telegraph Equipment	-	81	-
Sporting & Recreation Equipment	2	79	**
Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery Tableware	20	37	+ 85.0
Fish & Marine Animals	3	30	+ 900.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	7,730	7,320	- 5.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	8,133	7,442	- 8.5

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	66	65	122	81	216	+ 34.5
CANADA	11,509	9,279	6,753	8,133	7,442	- 10.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	116,078 ton	12,896	287,346 ton	34,397	+ 166.7
Coal		-	114,402 ton	6,524	-
Man-Made Fibres		-	2,707,772 lb	3,603	-
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	2,652 cwt	340	14,936 cwt	1,493	+ 339.1
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	15,895 cwt	890	25,479 cwt	1,320	+ 48.3
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	32,581 cwt	929	18,025 cwt	474	- 49.0
Chemical Elements	1,077 cwt	40	10,203 cwt	395	+ 887.5
Core Drills & Core Drill Bits		-		85	-
Meat, Fresh or Frozen		-	602 cwt	77	-
Beef, Frozen, Boneless		-	642 cwt	77	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		15,095		48,445	+ 220.9
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		15,895		48,590	+ 205.7
Barley		21,653		33,083	+ 52.8
Wheat		4,090		5,995	+ 46.6
Rye		-		35	-
Flaxseed		358		29	- 91.9
Canola		9		29	+ 222.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		42,005		87,761	+ 108.9

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Zinc in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	139,937	149,833	+ 7.1
Nickel & Alloys	49,763	56,828	+ 14.2
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	61,412	56,125	- 8.6
Sulphur	14,778	34,397	+ 132.8
Wheat	17,567	24,361	+ 38.7
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	28,190	24,139	- 14.4
Paperboard	25,294	21,039	- 16.8
Coal	1,981	20,065	+ 912.9
Nickel in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	18,538	19,077	+ 2.9
Other Crude Non-Metallic Minerals	10,926	18,500	+ 69.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	368,386	424,364	+ 15.2
TOTAL (all commodities)	700,126	676,592	- 3.4

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	29,071	23,844	17,137	15,895	48,590	+ 13.7
CANADA	987,829	829,372	773,095	700,126	676,592	- 9.0

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Organo-Sulphur Compounds	27,573 cwt	11,118	53,860 cwt	24,290	+ 118.5
Nickel in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	74,889 cwt	2,931	54,147 cwt	2,326	- 20.6
Compound Catalysts		-	101,075 lb	1,532	-
Cellulous Plastics		-	1,852 cwt	322	-
Nitrites & Nitrates		-	4,822 cwt	180	-
Pile Fabrics Broad Woven M-M Mixture		-	36,197 lb	122	-
Diamonds, Industrial	11,500 carat	157	6,700 carat	106	- 32.5
Used Tractors		-	1	82	-
Barbed Wire	96 ton	84	102 ton	82	- 2.4
Core Drills & Core Drill Bits & Parts		-		81	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		14,290		29,123	+ 103.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		15,421		30,170	+ 95.6

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Natural & Synthetic Gem Stones	61,600	61,555	- 0.1
Organic Chemicals	18,805	39,144	+ 108.2
Structural Shapes, Steel & Sheet Piling	20,957	32,627	+ 55.7
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	7,977	21,049	+ 163.9
Fuel Oil	227	18,541	**
Unexposed Photographic Film & Plates	17,438	16,794	- 3.7
Plastics Materials, Not Shaped	8,053	14,443	+ 79.3
Crude Petroleum	-	13,573	-
Power Shovels	7,828	11,957	+ 52.7
Other Yarn & Thread	9,753	11,268	+ 15.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	152,638	240,951	+ 57.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	296,196	446,728	+ 50.8

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	31,035	34,330	19,377	15,421	30,170	- 0.7
CANADA	251,194	297,089	263,532	296,196	446,728	+ 15.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

BOLIVIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Rapeseed Oil		-	31,806 cwt	1,263	-
Aircraft Assemblies, Equipment & Parts		-		377	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		-		1,640	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		-		1,640	-

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	-	5,730	-
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	687	1,263	+ 83.8
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	-	582	-
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	752	540	- 28.2
Newsprint Paper	384	534	+ 39.1
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	1	182	**
Metalworking Machinery	-	163	-
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	433	145	- 66.5
Office Machines & Equipment	20	145	+ 625.0
Electric Lighting & Distribution Equipment	40	143	+ 257.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	2,317	9,427	+ 306.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	3,782	10,635	+ 181.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	9	587	2,118	-	1,640	+ 267.4
CANADA	6,948	10,288	9,112	3,782	10,635	+ 11.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

BOLIVIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each *		1		1	+ 0.0
Sweaters Cardigan, Womens, Girls, Knit Wool		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		3		1	- 66.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		3		1	- 66.7

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Tin, Including Alloys	13,028	6,963	- 46.6
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	2,394	472	- 80.3
Live Animals	162	158	- 2.5
Veneer	-	63	-
Lumber	75	51	- 32.0
Other Non-Ferrous Metals & Alloys	32	48	+ 50.0
Other Wood Fabricated Materials	16	42	+ 162.5
Outerwear, Knitted	80	28	- 65.0
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	39	11	- 71.8
House Furnishings	7	10	+ 42.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	15,833	7,846	- 50.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	16,577	7,859	- 52.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	8	-	7	3	1	- 40.5
CANADA	16,681	18,493	8,017	16,577	7,859	- 17.2

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500 each"

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

BRAZIL

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	503,688 ton	53,098	492,083 ton	58,970	+ 11.1
Coal	260,098 ton	18,005	372,144 ton	24,629	+ 36.8
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		-		593	-
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		-		134	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		39	-
Laboratory Instr. Equipment & Parts		-		34	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives		-	49 cwt	3	-
Chemical Elements		28		-	- 100.0
Animal Semen, Bovine		17		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		71,148		84,402	+ 18.6
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		71,148		84,402	+ 18.6
Wheat		75,703		83,226	+ 9.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		146,851		167,628	+ 14.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	325,184	338,180	+ 4.0
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	2,550	92,940	**
Coal	54,028	87,456	+ 61.9
Sulphur	66,071	68,067	+ 3.0
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	34,239	60,232	+ 75.9
Aircraft Engines & Parts	24,368	30,308	+ 24.4
Newsprint Paper	34,903	27,119	- 22.3
Special Transactions, Trade	118	16,294	**
Office Machines & Equipment	6,176	7,824	+ 26.7
Motor Vehicle Engines & Parts	9,202	5,878	- 36.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	556,839	733,298	+ 31.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	596,246	774,983	+ 30.0

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	47,102	74,118	43,978	71,148	84,402	+ 15.7
CANADA	955,089	678,039	537,009	596,246	774,983	- 5.1

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

BRAZIL

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Civil Aircraft, 2 Engines or Less		-	1	1,560	-
Drill Pipe		-	659 ton	1,396	-
Baler Twine	777,555 lb	357	2,596,658 lb	1,185	+ 231.9
Polyester-Cotton Broad Woven Fabric	180,259 lb	629	169,608 lb	625	- 0.6
Cultivators, Weeders & Parts		68		276	+ 305.9
Well Casing, New	626 ton	420	382 ton	267	- 36.4
Ceramic Tiles Floor Wall 2 1/2 + Ov	142,726 sq ft	42	442,775 sq ft	176	+ 319.0
Goods Returned Within Five Years		-		84	-
Furniture, Wooden, Hhold, Not Upholstered		-		44	-
Coffee, Roasted or Ground	2,185 lb	5	9,715 lb	29	+ 480.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,521		5,642	+ 270.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		2,899		5,773	+ 99.1

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Orange Juice & Concentrates	58,181	89,343	+ 53.6
Coffee	87,804	83,331	- 5.1
Aluminum Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	47,225	59,826	+ 26.7
Television, Radios & Phonographs	23,373	47,669	+ 103.9
Footwear	35,887	41,119	+ 14.6
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	10,342	21,440	+ 107.3
Cocoa & Chocolate	18,434	20,771	+ 12.7
Other Iron & Steel & Alloys	5,932	19,744	+ 232.8
Other Yarn & Thread	14,065	19,302	+ 37.2
Organic Chemicals	11,018	19,158	+ 73.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	312,261	421,703	+ 35.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	500,045	669,555	+ 33.9

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	607	3,024	5,956	2,899	5,773	+ 75.6
CANADA	348,136	430,779	482,479	500,045	669,555	+ 17.8

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

CHILE

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	36,259 ton	3,853	55,367 ton	5,972	+ 55.0
Rock Drills & Parts		6		368	**
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		124	-
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		329		83	- 74.8
Hard Spring Wheat Flour		-	2,977 cwt	48	-
Wood Pulp, Bl., Sulphite Paper Grades		-	1,014 cwtad	34	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas, Prod. Machinery, Parts		22		32	+ 45.5
Beans, Dried		-	109,199 lb	30	-
Pulp & Paper Industry Machinery		-		26	-
Organo/Inorganic Compounds		-	300 cwt	23	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		4,210		6,740	+ 60.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		5,922		6,851	+ 15.7

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Coal	9,158	12,494	+ 36.4
Sulphur	8,501	9,874	+ 16.2
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	2,422	6,923	+ 185.8
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	4,436	5,397	+ 21.7
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	2,659	4,303	+ 61.8
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	3,177	4,105	+ 29.2
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	2,766	3,597	+ 30.0
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	1,770	3,007	+ 69.9
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	639	2,183	+ 241.6
Other Special Industries Machinery	203	1,954	+ 862.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	35,731	53,837	+ 50.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	69,963	77,262	+ 10.4

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	415	3,355	4,437	5,922	6,851	+ 101.6
CANADA	108,683	115,448	66,543	69,963	77,262	- 8.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

CHILE

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Grapes, Fresh	547,895 lb	457	1,572,646 lb	1,321	+ 189.1
Nectarines, Fresh	70,735 lb	40	92,537 lb	72	+ 80.0
Plums, Fresh	23,072 lb	14	59,224 lb	46	+ 228.6
Apples & Crab-Apples, Fresh	32,689 lb	13	98,772 lb	44	+ 238.5
Onions, Fresh		-	61,658 lb	36	-
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	4,372 gal	37	2,853 gal	24	- 35.1
Cantaloupes & Muskmelons, Fresh		-	49,818 lb	23	-
Cut Flowers & Decorated Plant Material		-		14	-
Peaches, Fresh	7,775 lb	5	14,917 lb	10	+ 100.0
Cherries, Fresh		-	5,422 lb	7	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		566		1,597	+ 182.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		697		1,626	+ 133.3

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Grapes, Fresh	31,601	35,247	+ 11.7
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	55,091	32,066	- 41.8
Copper & Alloys	11,488	22,107	+ 92.4
Other Fresh Fruits & Berries	10,736	14,898	+ 38.8
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	16,937	3,198	- 81.1
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	166	2,021	**
Fish & Marine Animals	1,194	1,951	+ 63.4
Other Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	33	1,786	**
Other Fruit Juices & Concentrates	917	1,422	+ 55.1
Organic Chemicals	1,414	1,176	- 16.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	129,577	115,872	- 10.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	133,825	122,139	- 8.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	157	459	287	697	1,626	+ 79.4
CANADA	97,104	110,551	119,831	133,825	122,139	+ 5.9

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

CHINA, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	203,409 ton	21,319	221,228 ton	22,901	+ 7.4
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	114,897 cwt	1,790	361,334 cwt	5,927	+ 231.1
Urea		-	536,517 cwt	5,292	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		3,395	-
Rapeseed Oil		-	33,011 cwt	1,502	-
Cattle Hides, Raw		-	12,294	460	-
Rock Drill Bits		-		34	-
Prefabricated Structures & Parts		-		29	-
Heating & Fuel Burn Equipment & Parts		-		11	-
Clover Seed		-	2,205 lb	7	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		23,109		39,558	+ 71.2
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		23,845		39,577	+ 66.0
Wheat		213,463		148,212	- 30.6
Barley		23,845		2,031	- 70.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		244,209		189,820	- 22.3

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	916,937	602,245	- 34.3
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	59,441	93,055	+ 56.6
Aluminum, Including Alloys	139,109	70,519	- 49.3
Copper & Alloys	135,242	67,642	- 50.0
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	118,784	65,648	- 44.7
Other Crude Wood Products	31,974	57,136	+ 78.7
Zinc, Including Alloys	45,255	47,738	+ 5.5
Copper in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	4,064	37,341	+ 818.8
Lumber, Softwood	39,420	32,501	- 17.6
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	6,332	31,551	+ 398.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	1,496,558	1,105,376	- 26.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,606,688	1,272,140	- 20.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	34,435	22,322	38,092	23,845	39,577	+ 3.5
CANADA	871,100	1,004,821	1,227,857	1,606,688	1,272,140	+ 9.9

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

CHINA, PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	$'000	1984 Quantity	$'000	% Change
Pipe Fittings Iron Steel Welding		264		139	- 47.3
Goods Returned Within Five Years		2		74	**
Ale, Lager, Porter & Stout	8,800 gal	40	15,840 gal	63	+ 57.5
Pliers	6,576	5	50,400	40	+ 700.0
Oriental Rugs, Genuine		-	302 sq yd	39	-
Tableware, Ceramic		26		31	+ 19.2
Packing, Non Re-usable		42		29	- 31.0
Art & Decorative Ware		52		24	- 53.8
Novelties & Art Goods		8		23	+ 187.5
Axes & Hatchets	23,384	55	7,200	14	- 74.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		494		476	- 3.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		857		634	- 26.0

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Outerwear, Except Knitted	55,939	80,948	+ 44.7
Outerwear, Knitted	21,999	40,253	+ 83.0
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	21,097	29,215	+ 38.5
House Furnishings	29,810	28,423	- 4.7
Broad Woven Fabrics, Wool & Hair	13,719	19,545	+ 42.5
Broad Woven Fabrics, Mixed Fibres	12,386	18,580	+ 50.0
Other Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	15,956	17,362	+ 8.8
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	12,696	10,698	- 15.7
Other Basic Hardware	2,377	7,443	+ 213.1
Other Oil Seeds, Oil Nuts, Oil Kernels	2,838	7,350	+ 159.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	188,817	259,817	+ 37.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	245,772	333,502	+ 35.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	200	318	572	857	634	+ 33.4
CANADA	155,087	220,013	203,654	245,772	333,502	+ 21.1

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

COLOMBIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	40,291 cwt	3,719	61,208 cwt	5,922	+ 59.2
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		-		595	-
Beans, Dried		-	625,000 lb	156	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		195		92	- 52.8
Refractories		-		43	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		16		11	- 31.3
Gears, Power Transmission		-		3	-
Man-Made Fibres	1,440,365 lb	1,324		-	- 100.0
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		69		-	- 100.0
Soya Bean Oil		40		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		5,363		6,822	+ 27.2
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		5,466		6,822	+ 25.3
Barley		6,855		3,456	- 49.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		12,321		10,278	- 16.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Newsprint Paper	30,020	33,721	+ 12.3
Other Motor Vehicles	7,683	28,393	+ 269.6
Materials Handling Machinery & Equipment	31,255	22,378	- 28.4
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	17,485	19,882	+ 13.7
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	14,240	11,802	- 17.1
Other Crude Non-Metallic Minerals	8,619	9,021	+ 4.7
Barley	14,781	7,737	- 47.7
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Minerals	-	6,958	-
Aluminum, Including Alloys	7,150	6,027	- 15.7
Other Cereals, Milled	10,071	3,429	- 66.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	141,304	149,348	+ 5.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	204,186	188,075	- 7.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	4,780	8,051	7,609	5,466	6,822	+ 9.3
CANADA	185,291	180,125	190,964	204,186	188,075	+ 0.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

COLOMBIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Bananas & Plantains, Fresh	486,700 lb	133	4,296,500 lb	842	+ 533.1
Cut Flowers & Decor. Plant Material		249		269	+ 8.0
Gem & Ornamental Stones		-		171	-
Goods Returned Within Five Years		17		138	+ 711.8
Well Drilling Machinery Apparatus & Parts		-		62	-
Coffee, Green	13,730 lb	27	12,409 lb	25	- 7.4
Packing, Non Re-usable		9		15	+ 66.7
Coffee, Roasted or Ground	2,185 lb	5	3,758 lb	12	+ 140.0
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each *		1		6	+ 500.0
Unclassifiable Imports		-		1	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		441		1,542	+ 249.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		473		1,542	+ 226.0

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Coffee	37,903	56,819	+ 49.9
Bananas & Plantains, Fresh	17,649	21,955	+ 24.4
Other Crude Vegetable Products	11,404	12,895	+ 13.1
Fuel Oil	9,370	7,493	- 20.0
Raw Sugar	4,431	2,556	- 42.3
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton	3,541	1,440	- 59.3
Natural & Synthetic Gem Stones	470	1,201	+ 155.5
Other Special Transactions, Trade	819	611	- 25.4
Other Wood Fabricated Materials	777	589	- 24.2
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	547	561	+ 2.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	86,911	106,120	+ 22.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	92,249	109,556	+ 18.8

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	66	262	231	473	1,542	+ 119.9
CANADA	101,394	83,394	92,257	92,249	109,556	+ 2.0

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500. each".

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

COSTA RICA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		1,178	-
Nitrogen Phosphate Fertilizers	112,222 cwt	1,674	64,582 cwt	887	- 47.0
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	343 cwt	24	648 cwt	50	+ 108.3
Chemical Elements		-	374 cwt	40	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		11	-
Agricultural Machinery & Equipment		-		9	-
Parts & Accessories Agricultural Machinery		-		9	-
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		-		3	-
Rock Drill Bits		-		3	-
Rock Drills & Parts		-		2	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,698		2,192	+ 29.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		3,653		2,193	- 40.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fertilizer & Fertilizer Materials	6,804	4,527	- 33.5
Newsprint Paper	4,071	3,628	- 10.9
Other Paper	1,118	1,187	+ 6.2
Special Transactions, Trade	1	1,182	**
Other Iron & Steel & Alloys	-	1,001	-
Paperboard	273	986	+ 261.2
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	479	951	+ 98.5
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	857	837	- 2.3
Medical, Ophthalmic & Orthopaedic Supplies	224	405	+ 80.8
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	238	398	+ 67.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	14,065	15,102	+ 7.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	21,846	21,286	- 2.6

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	853	426	48	3,653	2,193	+ 26.6
CANADA	30,193	21,966	15,932	21,846	21,286	- 8.4

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

COSTA RICA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		-		1,134	-
Bananas & Plantains, Fresh	9,929,200 lb	2,126	4,518,000 lb	978	- 54.0
Resistors, Electronic & Parts		18		8	- 55.6
Fruit & Berries, Frozen		-	34,580 lb	7	-
Vegetables, Frozen		-	33,600 lb	7	-
Jewellery/Findings, Precious Metals		-		3	-
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each *		-		2	-
Cut Flowers & Decor. Plant Material		-		1	-
Furniture, Household, Upholstered		49		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,193		2,141	- 2.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		2,193		2,141	- 2.4

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Bananas & Plaintains, Fresh	24,998	22,117	- 11.5
Coffee	9,669	12,665	+ 31.0
Other Special Transactions, Trade	26	1,144	**
Precious Metals Including Alloys	24,477	616	- 97.5
Fish & Marine Animals	1,191	510	- 57.2
Other Fresh Fruit & Berries	119	312	+ 162.2
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	322	295	- 8.4
Other Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	135	259	+ 91.9
Man-Made Fibre, Yarn & Thread	-	130	-
Other Yarn & Thread	459	113	- 75.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	61,396	38,161	- 37.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	62,423	38,601	- 38.2

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	868	1,765	1,221	2,193	2,141	+ 25.3
CANADA	35,238	38,993	32,266	62,423	38,601	+ 2.3

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500. each"

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

CUBA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	12,768 ton	1,229	23,631 ton	2,672	+ 117.4
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		135	-
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	2,868 cwt	216		-	- 100.0
Live Animals		152		-	- 100.0
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		51		-	- 100.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		10		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,657		2,807	+ 69.4
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		1,657		2,807	+ 69.4
Wheat		47,863		39,364	- 17.8
Barley		2,983		3,436	+ 15.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		52,503		45,607	- 13.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	205,596	159,954	- 22.2
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	38,275	42,624	+ 11.4
Other Cereals, Unmilled	16,699	23,244	+ 39.2
Other Cereals, Milled	18,666	19,051	+ 2.1
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	17,619	12,404	- 29.6
Lumber, Softwood	-	10,808	-
Sulphur	8,524	7,704	- 9.6
Barley	6,432	7,691	+ 19.6
Paperboard	4,119	6,405	+ 55.5
Other Chemical Products	6,733	6,013	- 10.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	322,663	295,898	- 8.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	360,592	335,833	- 6.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,434	11,884	8,400	1,657	2,807	- 4.9
CANADA	419,881	452,375	324,399	360,592	335,833	- 5.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

CUBA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Raw Sugar	38,743	43,717	+ 12.8
Fish & Marine Animals	13,557	14,262	+ 5.2
Cocoa & Chocolate	341	1,165	+ 241.6
Outerwear, Except Knitted	1,254	1,114	- 11.2
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	919	581	- 36.8
Other Petroleum & Coal Products	-	349	-
House Furnishings	412	314	- 23.8
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton	30	288	+ 860.0
Tobacco	469	258	- 45.0
Other End Products, Inedible	70	241	+ 244.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	55,795	62,289	+ 11.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	56,287	62,692	+ 11.4

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	70	-	-	-
CANADA	163,472	196,511	94,843	56,287	62,692	- 21.3

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Cattle Hides, Raw	17,266	521	28,022	1,390	+ 166.8
Cattle, Dairy, Purebred	74	229		-	- 100.0
Swine, Purebred	78	55		-	- 100.0
Electronic Equipment Components		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		806		1,390	+ 72.5
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		806		1,390	+ 72.5
Wheat		276		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,082		1,390	+ 28.5

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	3,414	7,981	+ 133.8
Raw Hides & Skins	2,751	5,177	+ 51.8
Other Telecommunications & Related Eqpt.	1,461	2,030	+ 38.9
Office Machines & Equipment	1,659	586	- 64.7
Other Special Industries Machinery	326	397	+ 21.8
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	172	377	+ 119.2
Other Inorganic Chemicals	117	264	+ 125.6
Fur Skins, Undressed	89	201	+ 125.8
Other Measuring, Cont. Lab. Med. & Opt.Eqpt.	219	188	- 14.2
Pulp & Paper Industries Machinery	502	167	- 66.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	10,710	17,368	+ 62.2
TOTAL (all commodities)	15,026	18,237	+ 21.4

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	222	223	3,281	806	1,390	+ 58.2
CANADA	126,933	27,751	31,341	15,026	18,237	- 38.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

CZECHOSLOVAKIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Boots & Shoes, Work Men's, Boys, Leather	485 pr	10	583 pr	15	+ 50.0
Unclassifiable Imports		-		8	-
Broad Woven Fabrics, Wool Mixtures		-	134 lb	3	-
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton Blend	535 lb	2	545 lb	2	+ 0.0
Liqueurs	70 p gal	1	82 p gal	2	+ 100.0
Paintings & Pastels, Made by Hand		-	2	1	-
Ale, Lager, Porter & Stout		-	176 gal	1	-
Valves, Iron or Steel		31		-	- 100.0
Ice Hockey Equipment & Parts		13		-	- 100.0
Flannel Napped Fabric Cotton Colored	2,641 lb	7		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		64		31	- 51.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		73		31	- 57.5

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Footwear	9,843	11,332	+ 15.1
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton	5,116	6,398	+ 25.1
Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery Tableware	4,881	4,821	- 1.2
Broad Woven Fabrics, Mixed Fibres	3,214	4,669	+ 45.3
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	2,243	4,059	+ 81.0
Wheel Tractors, New	1,402	3,624	+ 158.5
Other Transportation Equipment	2,415	3,397	+ 40.7
Outerwear, Except Knitted	3,209	2,592	- 19.2
House Furnishings	2,222	2,589	+ 16.5
Bars & Rods, Steel	309	2,077	+ 572.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	34,854	45,558	+ 30.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	54,443	64,960	+ 19.3

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	649	1,019	773	73	31	- 53.3
CANADA	63,381	72,890	60,488	54,443	64,960	+ 0.6

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

EGYPT

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	153,792 cwt	2,582	79,365 cwt	1,361	- 47.3
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		1		44	**
Valves		-		1	-
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	3,308 cwt	153		-	- 100.0
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		28		-	- 100.0
Medical & Surgical Supplies		22		-	- 100.0
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	397 cwt	21		-	- 100.0
Laboratory Instr. Equipment & Parts		19		-	- 100.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		18		-	- 100.0
Commercial Telecommunications Equipment		2		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,846		1,406	- 50.6
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		2,848		1,406	- 50.6
Wheat		1,988		31,156	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		4,836		32,562	+ 573.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	8,540	126,598	**
Aircraft, Complete With Engines	-	41,107	-
Railway & Street Railway Rolling Stock	25,723	24,225	- 5.8
Newsprint Paper	15,582	17,838	+ 14.5
Lumber, Softwood	15,576	14,461	- 7.2
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	1,138	9,470	+ 732.2
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	10,943	7,400	- 32.4
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	1,334	5,008	+ 275.4
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	12,297	4,648	- 62.2
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	-	3,369	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	91,133	254,124	+ 178.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	136,226	286,694	+ 110.5

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	559	3,316	2,626	2,848	1,406	+ 25.9
CANADA	129,572	131,653	353,155	136,226	286,694	+ 22.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

EGYPT

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	96,628	69,625	- 20.3
Cotton Yarn & Thread	1,198	1,722	+ 43.7
Other Yarn & Thread	77	860	**
Other Special Transactions, Trade	56	407	+ 626.8
Other Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	498	209	- 58.0
Drilling Machinery & Drill Bits	13	75	+ 476.9
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	157	51	- 67.5
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	-	24	-
Other Crude Vegetable Products	52	21	- 59.6
Fruits & Products, Canned	11	11	+ 0.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	98,690	73,005	- 26.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	98,733	73,041	- 26.0

EXPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	283	4	146	-	-	-
CANADA	10,271	6,604	2,190	98,733	73,041	+ 63.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

ETHIOPIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Hard Spring Wheat Flour		-	36,380 cwt	607	-
Metal Boring Drilling Machinery & Parts		-		47	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		66		10	- 84.8
Contractors Equipment & Tools		1,550		-	- 100.0
Rapeseed Oil	10,900 cwt	425		-	- 100.0
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		318		-	- 100.0
Mining Machinery Equipment & Parts		6		-	- 100.0
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		5		-	- 100.0
Hand Tools, Including Sets		2		-	- 100.0
Rubber Packing & Similar Products		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,372		664	- 72.0
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		2,372		664	- 72.0
Wheat		4,680		5,896	+ 26.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		7,052		6,560	- 7.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	20,103	23,958	+ 19.2
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	-	3,992	-
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	309	1,530	+ 395.1
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	18	1,263	**
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	169	579	+ 242.6
Other Transportation Equipment	-	493	-
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	-	464	-
Containers & Closures	304	452	+ 48.7
Construction Machinery & Equipment	2	290	**
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	3,620	286	- 92.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	24,525	33,307	+ 35.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	27,619	34,057	+ 23.3

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	35	6,692	58	2,372	664	+ 108.7
CANADA	19,395	34,734	12,259	27,619	34,057	+ 15.1

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

ETHIOPIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		614		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		614		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		614		-	- 100.0

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Coffee	347	120	- 65.4
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,615	33	- 98.0
Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery Tableware	-	29	-
Plastic Film & Sheet	-	6	-
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	75	-	- 100.0
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	4	-	- 100.0
Pipe Fittings	3	-	- 100.0
House Furnishings	2	-	- 100.0
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	1	-	- 100.0
Other Crude Vegetable Products	1	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	2,048	187	- 90.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	2,048	187	- 90.9

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	-	614	-	-
CANADA	845	1,654	2,440	2,048	187	- 31.4

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY (WEST)

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Coal	368,579 ton	19,665	244,552 ton	13,677	- 30.5
Man-Made Fibres	207,946 lb	282	3,175,897 lb	4,161	**
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	29,044 cwt	1,457	26,202 cwt	1,207	- 17.2
Earth Drilling & Rel Mach & Parts		157		648	+ 312.7
Chemical Elements	741 cwt	26	14,253 cwt	531	**
Honey	315,396 lb	197	899,167 lb	527	+ 167.5
Cobalt	619 lb	11	27,844 lb	424	**
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	33 cwt	54	200 cwt	407	+ 653.7
Non-Ferrous Metal Alloys	7,202 lb	285	9,495 lb	314	+ 10.2
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		512		312	- 39.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		22,646		22,208	- 1.9
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		26,985		25,425	- 5.8
Barley		10,072		13,825	+ 37.3
Wheat		223		5,921	**
Canola		1,925		5,464	+ 183.8
Flaxseed		6,192		4,245	- 31.4
Oats		-		29	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		45,397		54,909	+ 21.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	230,560	281,430	+ 22.1
Iron Ores & Concentrates	61,772	77,054	+ 24.7
Flaxseed	84,362	67,918	- 19.5
Aluminum, Including Alloys	25,318	47,372	+ 87.1
Newsprint Paper	35,447	45,971	+ 29.7
Copper & Alloys	51,463	44,736	- 13.1
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	6,976	37,896	+ 443.2
Barley	21,717	30,950	+ 42.5
Other End Products	27,924	28,940	+ 3.6
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	29,601	26,226	- 11.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	575,140	688,493	+ 19.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,149,885	1,220,681	+ 6.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	16,690	29,232	24,941	26,985	25,425	+ 11.1
CANADA	1,640,645	1,287,262	1,233,722	1,149,885	1,220,681	- 7.1

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY (WEST)

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Parts for Railway Rolling Stock		18,586		14,238	- 23.4
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	836,237 gal	7,911	1,016,408 gal	8,160	+ 3.1
Parts of Powered Cranes Shovels		3,497		5,340	+ 52.7
Shipments of Less Than $800. Each *		778		1,709	+ 119.7
Tractors & Tractor Parts, Accessories		940		1,481	+ 57.6
Pipe Fittings Iron Steel Welding		1,647		1,443	- 12.4
Graders & Road Scrapers & Parts		-	3	1,260	-
Packing, Non Re-Useable		1,176		1,219	+ 3.7
Parts for Conveyors & Systems		819		1,109	+ 35.4
Excavating Dredging Machinery & Parts		1,112		1,033	- 7.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		36,466		36,992	+ 1.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		64,706		64,342	- 0.6

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	238,200	336,167	+ 41.1
Organic Chemicals	66,886	99,105	+ 48.2
Aluminum, Including Alloys	23,367	70,394	+ 201.3
Other Special Industry Machinery	32,236	50,592	+ 56.9
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	26,306	49,079	+ 86.6
Other Special Transactions, Trade	29,318	45,093	+ 53.8
Wheel Tractors, New	36,611	44,641	+ 21.9
Aluminum Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	29,067	41,232	+ 41.9
Printing Presses	18,607	40,495	+ 117.6
Other Measuring, Laboratory Equipment, Etc.	36,576	38,250	+ 4.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	537,174	815,048	+ 51.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,574,798	2,173,581	+ 38.0

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	54,965	48,619	65,606	64,706	64,342	+ 4.0
CANADA	1,455,169	1,611,460	1,383,950	1,574,798	2,173,581	+ 10.6

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500. each".

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

FINLAND

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	107,689 ton	11,963	136,411 ton	17,554	+ 46.7
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		-		1,105	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	4,754 cwt	256	7,457 cwt	453	+ 77.0
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		11		22	+ 100.0
Metal Scrap, Dross & Ashes		-	330 cwt	16	-
Contractors Equipment & Tools		23		15	- 34.8
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		1		15	**
Cutting Tools for Metalwork Machinery		-		6	-
Navigation Instruments Apparatus & Parts		542		-	- 100.0
Commercial Telecommunications Equipment		488		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		13,284		19,185	+ 44.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		13,307		19,185	+ 44.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Nickel in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	25,076	34,255	+ 36.6
Other Inorganic Chemicals	11	20,130	**
Sulphur	21,880	17,554	- 19.8
Nickel & Alloys	781	14,929	**
Other Textile Fabricated Materials	2,250	2,471	+ 9.8
Bars & Rods, Steel	589	2,272	+ 285.7
Tobacco	1,341	1,974	+ 47.2
Pulpwood Chips	1,155	1,958	+ 69.5
Other Motor Vehicles	1,826	1,714	- 6.1
Office Machines & Equipment	2,392	1,654	- 30.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	57,031	98,911	+ 73.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	86,952	119,219	+ 37.1

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,108	1,032	6,877	13,307	19,185	+ 104.0
CANADA	138,135	100,789	110,581	86,952	119,219	- 3.6

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

FINLAND

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Paper for Printing		-	37,245 cwt	1,144	-
Parts of Industrial Hoists & Lifts		130		581	+ 346.9
Parts of Cranes & Derricks		-		365	-
Distilled Beverages & Spirits	9,238 p gal	102	33,582 p gal	316	+ 209.8
Industrial Hoists & Lifts	179	265	31	205	- 22.6
Models for Demonstration Etc. & Parts		19		124	+ 552.6
Writing & Reproduction Paper		-	4,172 cwt	118	-
Cellulouse Plastics		-	721 cwt	87	-
Packing, Non Re-usable		18		82	+ 355.6
Construction Machinery, Equipment & Parts		1		57	**
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		535		3,079	+ 475.5
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,001		3,421	+ 241.8

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Paper & Paperboard	9,097	28,831	+ 216.9
Fur Skins, Undressed	2,341	26,895	**
Pulp & Paper Industries Machinery	12,383	11,351	- 8.3
Sporting & Recreation Equipment	5,407	6,270	+ 16.0
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	3,085	5,546	+ 79.8
Drilling Machinery & Drill Bits	4,352	5,010	+ 15.1
Crude Wood Products	-	4,719	-
Inorganic Chemicals	5,367	4,337	- 19.2
Other Special Industry Machinery	1,297	3,499	+ 169.8
Other Transportation Equipment	1,193	3,422	+ 186.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	44,322	99,880	+ 125.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	75,763	148,163	+ 95.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,504	1,966	2,472	1,001	3,421	+ 22.8
CANADA	66,699	97,273	96,424	75,763	148,163	+ 22.1

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

FRANCE

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	84,145 ton	9,945	82,728 ton	9,791	- 1.5
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	38,418 cwt	4,995	48,110 cwt	5,750	+ 15.1
Fancy Meats, Bovine, Fresh or Frozen	4,971 cwt	460	5,077 cwt	448	- 2.6
Indust. Chemical Specialties & Explosives		43	604 cwt	419	+ 874.4
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	2,844 cwt	162	4,367 cwt	245	+ 51.2
Chemical Elements		-	4,070 cwt	170	-
Fancy Meats, Pork, Fresh or Frozen	1,330 cwt	82	3,548 cwt	162	+ 97.6
Clover Seed, Alsike	238,098 lb	75	397,669 lb	130	+ 73.3
Parts for Pulp & Paper Indust. Machinery		31		63	+ 103.2
Honey	37,200 lb	20	117,800 lb	56	+ 180.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		15,813		17,234	+ 9.0
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		23,902		17,627	- 26.3
Canola		-		6,080	-
Wheat		7,781		4,118	- 47.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		31,683		27,825	- 12.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	114,884	121,743	+ 6.0
Fish, Whole or Dressed, Fresh or Frozen	37,969	47,370	+ 24.8
Other Crude Non-Metallic Minerals	20,843	39,695	+ 90.4
Lumber, Softwood	31,981	35,035	+ 9.5
Other Inorganic Chemicals	39,566	30,078	- 24.0
Coal	-	26,102	-
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	29,717	25,654	- 13.7
Iron Ores & Concentrates	26,749	25,129	- 6.1
Office Machines & Equipment	21,227	24,787	+ 16.8
Copper & Alloys	25,848	23,547	- 8.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	348,784	399,140	+ 14.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	626,032	700,746	+ 11.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	15,994	20,493	18,144	23,902	17,627	+ 2.5
CANADA	995,261	976,143	706,679	626,032	700,746	- 8.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

FRANCE

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Nitrite Function Compounds	6,649 cwt	3,053	11,422 cwt	7,552	+ 147.4
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	493,224 gal	4,525	754,202 gal	7,023	+ 55.2
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Eqpt. & Parts		5,549		4,716	- 15.0
Liqueurs	27,641 p gal	1,486	49,566 p gal	2,880	+ 93.8
Truck & Bus Tires, Pneumatic, New		1,321	690	1,636	+ 23.8
Petrol & Gas Field Prod. Equipment & Parts		403		1,569	+ 289.3
Grape Wines, Sparkling		1,017	45,963 gal	1,412	+ 38.8
Valves, Iron or Steel		607		1,264	+ 108.2
Brandy	21,775 p gal	957	35,310 p gal	1,241	+ 29.7
Packing, Non Re-usable		606		979	+ 61.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		19,524		30,272	+ 55.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		32,242		37,135	+ 15.2

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Beverages	81,097	133,940	+ 65.2
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	47,009	78,740	+ 67.5
Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	28,894	40,072	+ 38.7
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	22,037	38,361	+ 74.1
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	12,547	38,198	+ 204.4
Books & Phamphlets	33,872	35,877	+ 5.9
Aluminum, Including Alloys	16,432	35,706	+ 117.3
Organic Chemicals	26,858	35,545	+ 32.3
Bars & Rods, Steel	14,003	30,045	+ 114.6
Other Personal & Household Goods	25,726	29,538	+ 14.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	308,475	496,022	+ 60.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	840,957	1,219,488	+ 45.0

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	32,663	31,972	36,731	32,242	37,135	+ 3.3
CANADA	772,602	878,584	877,164	840,957	1,219,488	+ 12.1

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GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC (EAST GERMANY)

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO NON-GRAIN EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		-		-	-
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		-		-	-
Barley		64,475		67,525	+ 4.7
Canola		-		5,099	-
Wheat		13,042		3,584	- 72.5
Flaxseed		156		233	+ 49.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		77,673		76,441	- 1.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Barley	139,014	151,164	+ 8.7
Wheat	56,023	14,562	- 74.0
Canola	-	12,488	-
Flaxseed	2,126	3,723	+ 75.1
Other Oil Seeds, Oil Nuts & Oil Kernals	-	473	-
Fish, Preserved, Except Canned	477	321	- 32.7
Fur Skins Undressed	-	292	-
Other Measuring Cont. Lab. Med. & Opt.Eqpt.	-	204	-
Apparel & Apparel Accessories	130	114	- 12.3
Fish, Whole or Dressed, Fresh or Frozen	59	70	+ 18.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	197,829	183,411	- 7.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	202,195	183,528	- 9.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	222	-	-	-	-	-
CANADA	10,576	4,439	21,545	202,195	183,528	+ 104.1

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC (EAST GERMANY))

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Projection Apparatus & Parts		-		1,219	-
Packing, Non Re-usable		-		2	-
Wind Instruments & Parts	502	4	535	2	- 50.0
Binoculars & Parts, Except Lenses		-	14	2	-
Strings for Musical Instruments		1		1	+ 0.0
Unclassifiable Imports		-		1	-
Art & Decorative Ware		-		1	-
Meat Packing Industry Machinery & Parts		26		-	- 100.0
Pianos	2	15		-	- 100.0
Musical Instruments & Parts		2		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		48		1,228	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		51		1,228	**

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fuel Oil	-	16,167	-
Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery Tableware	2,893	3,167	+ 9.5
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	352	3,025	+ 759.4
Other Photographic Goods	310	1,766	+ 469.7
Other Personal & Household Goods	1,082	1,455	+ 34.5
Other End Products, Inedible	711	1,244	+ 75.0
Fur Skins, Undressed	1,180	908	- 23.1
Furniture & Fixtures	780	774	- 0.8
Unexposed Photographic Film & Plates	101	499	+ 394.1
Other Special Transactions, Trade	326	399	+ 22.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	7,735	29,404	+ 280.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	10,209	31,613	+ 209.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	7	6	5	51	1,228	+ 263.9
CANADA	9,620	12,790	9,695	10,209	31,613	+ 34.6

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

GHANA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		4,370	-
Hand Tools, Including Sets		2		--	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2		4,370	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		2		4,370	**

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	9,787	13,520	+ 38.1
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	-	4,525	-
Tobacco	702	2,675	+ 281.1
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	-	2,168	-
Fish, Fillets & Blocks, Fresh or Frozen	-	1,100	-
Other Waste & Scrap Materials	376	467	+ 24.2
Fish, Canned	-	440	-
Apparel & Apparel Accessories	481	389	- 19.1
Prefabricated Buildings & Structures	-	344	-
Other Telecommunication & Related Eqpt.	402	318	- 20.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	11,748	25,946	+ 120.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	22,627	27,489	+ 21.5

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	4	739	-	2	4,370	+ 474.9
CANADA	23,995	21,231	10,018	22,627	27,489	+ 3.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

GHANA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Magnetic Tape		-		20	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		-		20	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		-		21	-

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Special Transactions, Trade	97	524	+ 440.2
Fish & Marine Animals	2,519	493	- 80.4
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	-	20	-
Hoisting Machinery	-	12	-
Abrasives, Natural	13	11	- 15.4
Trucks, Truck Tractors & Chassis	-	11	-
Other Wood Fabricated Materials	7	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	2,630	1,071	- 59.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	2,630	1,071	- 59.3

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	2	614	-	-	21	+ 80.0
CANADA	5,068	4,906	4,284	2,630	1,071	- 32.2

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

HONG KONG

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Rapeseed Oil	215,039 cwt	5,984	212,225 cwt	9,078	+ 51.7
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		-		1,482	-
Man-Made Fibres	517,874 lb	746	958,407 lb	1,435	+ 92.4
Acyclic Hydrocarbons & Derivatives		-	33,069 cwt	443	-
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	3,796 cwt	90	5,213 cwt	137	+ 52.2
Polyethylene Resins	1,102 cwt	37	1,948 cwt	64	+ 73.0
Electronic Equipment Components		-		33	-
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped		-	952 cwt	31	-
Fancy Meats, Pork, Fresh or Frozen		-	440 cwt	27	-
Sporting Recreation Equipment & Parts		-		23	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		6,857		12,753	+ 86.0
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		7,455		12,849	+ 72.4
Wheat		414		657	+ 58.7
Barley		-		3	-
Flaxseed		-		3	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		7,869		13,509	+ 71.7

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Telecommunications	17,877	21,947	+ 22.8
Aluminum, Including Alloys	38,335	16,622	- 56.6
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	7,456	15,318	+ 105.4
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	7,939	12,674	+ 59.6
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	10,836	12,322	+ 13.7
Newsprint Paper	11,352	11,938	+ 5.2
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	12,302	10,891	- 11.5
Zinc, Including Alloys	7,472	9,321	+ 24.7
Nickel & Alloys	18,591	6,600	- 64.5
Coal	10,906	6,460	- 40.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	143,066	124,093	- 13.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	221,176	214,751	- 2.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	6,617	10,480	7,145	7,455	12,849	+ 18.0
CANADA	193,034	184,134	242,846	221,176	214,751	+ 2.7

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

HONG KONG

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Gloves, Work & Special Purpose	52,468 dz pr	655	46,471 dz pr	863	+ 31.8
Pants, Men's & Boy's, Cotton	86,326	772	43,415	475	- 38.5
Fans & Ventilators, Electric & Parts	5,102	199	6,748	286	+ 43.7
Blouses, Except Knitted	12,043	203	21,079	275	+ 35.5
Sweaters, Cardigan, Women/Girl's Knit Wool	18,476	200	20,923	230	+ 15.0
Dresses, Except Knitted	3,340	102	6,185	192	+ 88.2
Dresses, Man-Made Fibre, Except Knitted	7,656	169	5,702	169	+ 0.0
Jewellery/Findings, Precious Metals		199		159	- 20.1
Sweaters & Cardigans, Knitted	12,098	105	10,822	158	+ 50.5
Skirts, Except Knitted	5,076	73	7,679	149	+ 104.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,677		2,956	+ 10.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		6,548		7,201	+ 10.0

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Outerwear, Except Knitted	158,453	184,729	+ 16.6
Outerwear, Knitted	101,664	120,730	+ 18.8
Games, Toys & Children's Vehicles	65,331	81,776	+ 25.2
Watches, Clocks, Jewellery & Silverware	48,431	56,709	+ 17.1
Miscellaneous Equipment & Tools	44,996	49,718	+ 10.5
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	34,934	48,524	+ 38.9
Televisions, Radios & Phonographs	34,147	46,107	+ 35.0
Other End Products, Inedible	23,518	35,160	+ 49.5
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton	20,069	29,345	+ 46.2
Fish & Marine Animals	26,310	28,424	+ 8.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	557,853	681,222	+ 22.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	820,451	966,155	+ 17.8

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,488	5,538	4,650	6,548	7,201	+ 19.9
CANADA	574,438	674,535	668,839	820,451	966,155	+ 13.9

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

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EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	43,606 ton	3,188	211,495 ton	30,523	+ 857.4
Urea		-	693,956 cwt	6,763	-
Earth Drilling, Related Machinery & Parts		473		1,359	+ 187.3
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		49		1,127	**
Contractors Equipment & Tools		423		500	+ 18.2
Man-Made Fibres	235,739 lb	332	105,281 lb	139	- 58.1
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Metals	66 cwt	13	457 cwt	133	+ 923.1
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	656 cwt	303	634 cwt	93	- 69.3
Aircraft Engines & Parts		-		63	-
Rock Drill Bits		-		42	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		4,781		40,742	+ 752.2
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		5,113		40,965	+ 701.2
Wheat		13,455		12,440	- 7.5
TOTAL (all commodities)		18,568		53,405	+ 187.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	47,525	107,920	+ 127.1
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	22,902	80,235	+ 250.3
Wheat	57,795	50,549	- 12.5
Sulphur	18,298	49,999	+ 173.2
Newsprint Paper	19,175	40,351	+ 110.4
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	28,872	26,712	- 7.5
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	17,411	18,486	+ 6.2
Engines & Turbines, General Purpose	3,749	16,634	+ 343.7
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	5,862	16,514	+ 181.7
Zinc, Including Alloys	2,254	9,192	+ 307.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	223,843	416,592	+ 86.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	261,683	468,152	+ 78.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	23,308	42,698	33,867	5,113	40,965	+ 15.1
CANADA	357,303	346,154	288,181	261,683	468,152	+ 7.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

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IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		2		425	**
Blouses, Cotton, Except Knitted	20,058	69	40,505	148	+ 114.5
Oriental Rugs, Genuine	919 sq yd	120	1,010 sq yd	97	- 19.2
Towels, Cotton, Terry	16,012 lb	39	37,291 lb	70	+ 79.5
Rice, Cleaned	435 cwt	22	1,229 cwt	38	+ 72.7
Skirts, Except Knitted	1,909	10	5,957	26	+ 160.0
Dresses, Except Knitted	1,140	31	904	23	- 25.8
Terry Cloth, Cotton	4,676	12	5,834 lb	15	+ 25.0
Pickles & Relishes		-	23,361 lb	13	-
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each *		6		11	+ 83.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		311		866	+ 178.5
TOTAL (all commodities)		605		1,022	+ 68.9

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Outerwear, Except Knitted	28,282	47,068	+ 66.4
House Furnishings	8,764	9,930	+ 13.3
Tea	3,583	7,585	+ 111.7
Leather & Leather Fabricated Materials	4,585	6,930	+ 51.1
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	7,035	6,668	- 5.2
Coffee	3,350	6,414	+ 91.5
Natural & Synthetic Gem Stones	4,072	5,604	+ 37.6
Other Special Transactions, Trade	3,030	5,119	+ 68.9
Other Personal & Household Goods	3,656	4,210	+ 15.2
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	3,597	3,745	+ 4.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	69,954	103,273	+ 47.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	101,118	147,133	+ 45.5

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	822	671	1,007	605	1,022	+ 5.6
CANADA	94,638	107,011	90,699	101,118	147,133	+ 11.7

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500 each"

SOURCE: Statiscitc Canada

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EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	99,135 ton	11,251	240,480 ton	28,046	+ 149.3
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	71,070 cwt	599	184,754 cwt	2,239	+ 273.8
Man-Made Fibres	563,384 lb	807	617,468 lb	945	+ 17.1
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		1		822	**
Polyethylene Resins		-	11,836 cwt	463	-
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	6,284 cwt	284	6,636 cwt	325	+ 14.4
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		465		164	- 64.7
Cattle Hides, Raw		-	1,300	80	-
Veal, Fresh or Frozen, Boneless		-	92 cwt	80	-
Aircraft Assemblies, Equipment & Parts		-		53	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		13,407		33,217	+ 147.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		13,726		33,256	+ 142.3
Wheat		8,667		5,496	- 36.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		22,393		38,752	+ 73.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	21,407	30,402	+ 42.0
Aircraft, Complete With Engines	10,418	28,807	+ 176.5
Sulphur	11,251	28,046	+ 149.3
Railway & Street Railway Rolling Stock	32	21,769	**
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	15,608	21,635	+ 38.6
Newsprint Paper	15,201	18,157	+ 19.4
Railway Track Material	-	12,053	-
Fertilizer & Fertilizer Materials	2,238	11,302	+ 405.0
Other Telecommunication & Related Eqpt.	3,619	9,110	+ 151.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	117,062	203,613	+ 73.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	209,628	290,487	+ 38.6

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	7,399	12,690	10,364	13,726	33,256	+ 45.6
CANADA	215,029	94,088	206,165	209,628	290,487	+ 7.8

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

INDONESIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Pants, Men's & Boy's, Cotton	20,000	139	15,000	87	- 37.4
Wood End Products		-		6	-
Goods Returned Within Five Years		-		4	-
Pants, Slacks, Women's & Girl's, Cotton	3,750	23	1,250	4	- 82.6
Dresses, Man-Made Fibre, Except Knitted	224	3	128	2	- 33.3
Dresses, Except Knitted	158	2	158	2	+ 0.0
Blouses, Knitted		-	248	2	-
Skirts, Except Knitted		-	135	2	-
Women's Handbags & Purses		-	10 dz	1	-
Picture Reproductions		-		1	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		167		111	- 33.5
TOTAL (all commodities)		177		120	- 32.2

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Rubber & Allied Gums, Natural	16,683	35,148	+ 110.7
Plywood & Wood Building Boards	7,840	8,350	+ 6.5
Outerwear, Except Knitted	6,220	6,714	+ 7.9
Coffee	1,309	5,720	+ 337.0
Tea	4,140	5,022	+ 21.3
Outerwear, Knitted	283	2,276	+ 704.2
Broad Woven Fabrics, Mixed Fibres	323	1,689	+ 422.9
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	1,400	1,499	+ 7.1
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	149	1,472	+ 887.9
Other Wood Fabricated Materials	252	938	+ 272.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	38,599	68,828	+ 78.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	40,043	71,923	+ 79.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	2	1	51	177	120	+ 178.3
CANADA	28,913	36,961	30,269	40,043	71,923	+ 25.6

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

IRAN

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		12		1,196	**
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		1,104	-
Plastics, Fabricated Materials		-	3,828 cwt	347	-
Motor Vehicles		-	1	211	-
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		-		108	-
Stationers & Office Supplies		-		103	-
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped		-	402 cwt	72	-
Parts for Pumps		-		62	-
Stains, Lacquers & Related Prod.		-		57	-
Industrial Chem. Specialties & Explosives		-	90 cwt	40	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		12		3,300	**
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		222		3,366	**
Wheat		17,775		2,415	- 86.4
Barley		19,233		2,152	- 88.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		37,230		7,933	- 78.7

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Railway & Street Railway Rolling Stock	-	64,390	-
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	6,890	18,423	+ 167.4
Wheat	76,355	9,814	- 87.1
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	461	9,232	**
Other Cereals, Unmilled	16,120	5,327	- 67.0
Barley	41,469	4,818	- 88.4
Paperboard	9,639	3,316	- 65.6
Primary Iron & Steel	2,209	3,161	+ 43.1
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	1,691	2,717	+ 60.7
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	309	2,426	+ 685.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	155,143	123,624	- 20.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	206,177	142,672	- 30.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	109	3	8	222	3,366	+ 135.7
CANADA	41,338	22,149	181,903	206,177	142,672	+ 36.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

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IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Oriental Rugs, Genuine	462 sq yd	207	3,144 sq yd	440	+ 112.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		207		440	+ 112.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		207		440	+ 112.6

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	523,592	170,793	- 67.4
Fruit, Dried or Dehydrated	2,360	2,687	+ 13.9
Other End Products, Inedible	364	848	+ 133.0
House Furnishings	373	668	+ 79.1
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	56	178	+ 217.9
Other Special Transactions, Trade	5	9	+ 80.0
Fish & Marine Animals	-	6	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	526,750	175,179	- 66.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	526,750	175,179	- 66.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	787	513	218	207	440	- 13.5
CANADA	3,450	2,702	117,183	526,750	175,179	+ 166.9

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

IRAQ

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Cranes & Derricks		-	1	105	-
Electronic Equipment Components		102		-	- 100.0
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		5		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		107		105	- 1.9
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		107		105	- 1.9
Wheat		20,820		27,383	+ 31.5
Barley		9,669		18,942	+ 95.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		30,596		46,430	+ 51.8

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	89,435	111,267	+ 24.4
Barley	20,848	42,405	+ 103.4
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	340	3,764	**
Other End Products	1,271	1,447	+ 13.8
Other Telecommunication & Related Eqpt.	439	986	+ 124.6
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	210	799	+ 280.5
Other Measuring Cont. Lab. Med. & Opt.Eqpt.	105	408	+ 288.6
Medical & Pharm. Products, In Dosage	185	370	+ 100.0
Plastics, Basic Shapes & Forms	18	265	**
Other Personal & Household Goods	283	247	- 12.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	113,134	162,318	+ 43.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	116,276	163,292	+ 40.4

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	181	160	492	107	105	- 12.7
CANADA	152,880	301,891	190,561	116,276	163,292	+ 1.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

IRAQ

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	$'000	1984 Quantity	$'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fruit, Dried or Dehydrated	789	33	- 95.8
Other Special Transactions, Trade	108	3	- 97.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	897	36	- 96.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	897	36	- 96.0

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	1	-	-	-
CANADA	280,844	1,031	561	897	36	- 89.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

IRELAND

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Bottle Washing/Filling Machinery		-		1,250	-
Measuring & Controllinig Instruments		9		123	**
Pts. of Measuring & Control Instruments		28		79	+ 182.1
Valves		14		13	- 7.1
Abrasive Basic Products		1		12	**
Commercial Telecommunications Equipment		47		9	- 80.9
Animal Semen, Bovine		1		8	+ 700.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		-		7	-
Electronic Equipment Components		76		2	- 97.4
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		40		2	- 95.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		216		1,505	+ 596.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		471		1,510	+ 220.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Telecommunications & Related Eqpt.	35,011	35,064	+ 0.2
Office Machines & Equipment	11,567	12,216	+ 5.6
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	2,886	4,861	+ 68.4
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	3,704	4,143	+ 11.9
Other Fodder & Feeds	2,252	3,495	+ 55.2
Aircraft Engines & Parts	1,231	3,382	+ 174.7
Lumber, Softwood	1,155	2,907	+ 151.7
Newsprint Paper	5,927	2,888	- 51.3
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	3,365	2,765	- 4.3
Other Non-Metallic Mineral Basic Products	3,117	2,221	- 28.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	70,215	73,942	+ 5.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	89,150	95,805	+ 7.5

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	139	308	417	471	1,510	+ 81.5
CANADA	113,959	136,576	96,976	89,150	95,805	- 4.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

IRELAND

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Liqueurs	9,947 p gal	899	32,705 p gal	2,700	+ 200.3
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Equipment & Parts		59		878	**
Diamonds, Industrial	5,250 carat	57	31,450 carat	236	+ 314.0
Packing, Non Re-usable		39		114	+ 192.3
Electronic Computers & Parts		43		100	+ 132.6
Axminster Carpets in Rolls	1,851 sq yd	35	2,439 sq yd	48	+ 37.1
Whiskey	4,232 p gal	74	2,699 p gal	45	- 39.2
Flour & Grist Mill Machinery & Parts		-		36	-
Humidity Measuring & Control Instruments		51		33	- 35.3
Parts of Measuring & Control Instruments		29		32	+ 10.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,286		4,222	+ 228.3
TOTAL (all commodities)		2,239		4,346	+ 94.1

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Meat, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	15,673	41,955	+ 167.7
Electronic Computers	7,669	39,420	+ 414.0
Organic Chemicals	25,448	27,328	+ 7.4
Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	7,153	12,992	+ 81.6
Medical, Ophthalmic, Orthopaedic Supplies	7,833	9,504	+ 21.3
Sugar Preparations & Confectionery	793	8,359	+ 954.1
Cocoa & Chocolate	4,188	5,095	+ 21.7
Other Yarn & Thread	3,597	3,581	- 0.4
Plastic Materials, Not Shaped	2,052	2,528	+ 23.2
Other Chemical Products	3,094	2,479	- 19.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	77,500	153,241	+ 97.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	107,266	186,501	+ 73.9

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,248	1,711	3,754	2,239	4,346	+ 36.6
CANADA	100,564	117,898	128,799	107,266	186,501	+ 16.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

ISRAEL

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives		-	9,278 cwt	439	-
Asbestos Milled Fibres, Group 4 & 5		-	89 ton	101	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	975 cwt	48	751 cwt	46	- 4.2
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	1,984 cwt	69	706 cwt	42	- 39.1
Eggs, Whole, Yolk or Albumen, Prepared		-	30,261 lb	41	-
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		-		9	-
Milled Cereals		-		5	-
Canola Oil		-	112 cwt	4	-
Ophthalmic Goods		1		2	+ 100.0
Measuring & Controlling Instruments		29		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		147		687	+ 367.3
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		173		687	+ 297.1
Barley		14,382		18,093	+ 25.8
Wheat		-		2,977	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		14,555		21,757	+ 49.5

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Barley	31,009	40,503	+ 30.6
Sulphur	18,092	25,643	+ 41.7
Wheat	-	12,095	-
Other Telecommunication & Related Eqpt.	6,452	10,642	+ 64.9
Aluminum, Including Alloys	11,916	10,517	- 11.7
Aircraft Engines & Parts	1,732	7,259	+ 319.1
Other General Purpose Industrial Machinery	13,900	4,200	- 69.8
Office Machines & Equipment	2,658	3,360	+ 26.4
Zinc, Including Alloys	3,176	3,316	+ 4.4
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	2,900	3,182	+ 9.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	91,835	120,717	+ 31.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	124,688	151,588	+ 21.6

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	273	332	109	173	687	+ 26.0
CANADA	105,549	124,432	122,084	124,688	151,588	+ 9.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

ISRAEL

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Gasoline Engines	40	48	94	122	+ 154.2
Electronic Computers & Parts		-		106	-
Machinery & Parts for Preparing Crops		-	4	63	-
Feeders, Feed Cookers & Parts, Farm		-		51	-
Parts of Gasoline Engines		9		32	+ 255.6
Sweaters, Cardigans, Men's, Boy's, Knitted, Wool		-	715	21	-
Dresses, Man-Made Fibre, Exc. Knitted	178	5	391	17	+ 240.0
Grape Wines, Still, Dessert	1,551 gal	11	1,997 gal	12	+ 9.1
Gem Diamonds, Cut But Unset	12 carat	7	8 carat	10	+ 42.9
Metal Working Machinery & Parts		-		9	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		80		443	+ 453.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		326		465	+ 42.6

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Natural & Synthetic Gem Stones	22,943	23,524	+ 2.5
Aircraft, Complete With Engines	-	5,969	-
Oranges, Mandarines, Tangerines, Fresh	942	4,855	+ 415.4
Organic Chemicals	5,007	3,771	- 24.7
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	2,283	3,294	+ 44.3
Other Measuring, Laboratory Equipment, Etc.	1,050	2,828	+ 169.3
House Furnishings	578	2,359	+ 308.1
Other Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	1,327	2,243	+ 69.0
Outerwear, Knitted	858	1,644	+ 91.6
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	213	1,610	+ 655.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	35,201	52,907	+ 48.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	55,872	81,902	+ 46.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	599	1,154	946	326	465	- 6.1
CANADA	54,503	51,323	39,765	55,872	81,902	+ 10.7

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

ITALY

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		-		1,232	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		793	-
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	3,344 cwt	497	4,333 cwt	603	+ 21.3
Cattle Hides, Raw	2,865	75	4,450	204	+ 172.0
Commercial Telecommunications Equipment		-		82	-
Clover Seed, Red, Single Cut	231,625 lb	126	130,072 lb	79	- 37.3
Clover Seed, Alsike		-	191,802 lb	56	-
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		-		40	-
Electronic Equipment Components		1		37	**
Bird Seed, Canary		-	1,567 cwt	33	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		699		3,159	+ 178.7
TOTAL (all commodities except grains))		3,335		3,288	- 38.4
Wheat		31,827		23,422	- 26.4
Barley		13,672		2,803	- 79.5
Canola		2		16	+ 700.0
Flaxseed		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		48,837		29,529	- 42.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	116,122	176,577	+ 52.1
Wheat	136,716	95,171	- 30.4
Iron Ores & Concentrates	39,337	41,168	+ 4.7
Raw Hides & Skins	8,509	24,460	+ 187.5
Aircraft Engines & Parts	22,045	24,128	+ 9.4
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	14,377	18,915	+ 31.6
Other Measuring, Cont.Lab.Med. & Opt.Eqpt.	5,559	12,981	+ 133.5
Other Telecommunication & Related Eqpt.	12,556	12,716	+ 1.3
Lumber, Softwood	14,268	12,399	- 13.1
Office Machines & Equipment	4,158	8,378	+ 101.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	373,647	426,893	+ 14.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	549,304	577,939	+ 5.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	14,841	26,024	11,091	3,335	3,288	- 31.4
CANADA	988,124	916,814	694,672	549,304	577,939	- 12.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

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IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Tractors & Tractor Parts, Accessories		3,989		4,486	+ 12.5
Boots, Shoes, Dress, Women, Leather	26,383 pr	897	63,013 pr	1,936	+ 115.8
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	400,069 gal	1,811	411,470 gal	1,856	+ 2.5
Pipe Fittings, Iron Steel Welding		1,035		1,610	+ 55.6
Rock Drill Bits, Rotary Type	19	146	213	1,385	+ 848.6
Valves, Iron or Steel		854		1,124	+ 31.6
Boots, Shoes, Dress, Women, Lea Cemented	31,706 pr	1,285	23,654 pr	885	- 31.1
Pipe Fittings, Iron Steel Finished		119		773	+ 549.6
Granite, Shaped or Dressed		3,838		771	- 79.9
Rotary Tillers, Agricultural & Parts	345	381	527	728	+ 91.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		14,355		15,554	+ 8.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		23,251		25,436	+ 9.4

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Footwear	100,436	119,893	+ 19.4
Broad Woven Fabrics, Mixed Fibres	34,110	54,522	+ 59.8
Other Metal Fabricated Basic Products	26,691	37,148	+ 39.2
Other Beverages	31,836	35,043	+ 10.1
Furniture & Fixtures	22,300	34,642	+ 55.3
Fuel Oil	-	34,415	-
Other Special Industry Machinery	18,247	33,084	+ 81.3
Outerwear, Except Knitted	18,777	30,500	+ 62.4
Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Silverware	17,699	25,993	+ 46.9
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	18,877	24,763	+ 31.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	288,973	430,003	+ 48.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	798,497	1,116,125	+ 39.8

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	20,071	27,165	28,487	23,251	25,436	+ 6.1
CANADA	610,995	702,177	724,848	798,497	1,116,125	+ 16.3

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

JAPAN

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Coal	3,948,161 ton	266,311	2,567,938 ton	172,698	- 35.2
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	2,025,440 cwt	23,375	4,456,473 cwt	55,970	+ 139.4
Acyclic Hydrocarbons & Derivatives	1,123,109 cwt	12,587	2,036,053 cwt	25,265	+ 100.7
Hydrocarbons & Their Derivatives	4,410 cwt	47	463,285 cwt	14,552	**
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	47,360 cwt	5,880	37,681 cwt	5,035	- 14.4
Sulphur, Crude or Refined		-	28,989 ton	3,460	-
Beef, Frozen, Boneless	17,961 cwt	2,514	17,865 cwt	2,891	+ 15.0
Nickel & Nickel Alloy, Scrap	30 cwt	4	9,792 cwt	2,667	**
Wood Pulp Bl. Kraft Paper Gr. Soft	134,882 cwtad	2,824	80,518 cwtad	2,180	- 22.8
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	143,239 cwt	4,058	67,923 cwt	1,828	- 55.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		317,600		286,546	- 9.8
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		420,065		324,370	- 22.8
Canola		160,800		197,661	+ 22.9
Wheat		79,051		92,426	+ 16.9
Barley		66,214		54,258	- 18.1
Rye		-		8,867	-
Flaxseed		2,249		1,941	- 13.7
Oats		-		1,168	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		728,379		680,691	- 6.5

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Coal	829,866	1,275,093	+ 53.7
Canola	394,614	484,108	+ 22.7
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	332,156	432,496	+ 30.2
Wheat	339,568	375,563	+ 10.6
Lumber, Softwood	341,116	351,127	+ 2.9
Copper in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	274,517	282,346	+ 2.9
Aluminum, Including Alloys	219,289	182,248	- 16.9
Organic Chemicals	138,393	177,859	+ 28.5
Other Fishery Foods & Feeds	144,790	147,041	+ 1.6
Meat, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	202,260	142,812	- 29.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	3,216,569	3,850,693	+ 19.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	4,721,745	5,628,644	+ 19.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	260,336	302,290	354,604	420,065	324,370	+ 5.7
CANADA	4,364,455	4,497,660	4,568,389	4,721,745	5,628,644	+ 6.6

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

JAPAN

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Photocopy & Similar Machines & Parts	890	1,585	10,266	19,555	**
Ships & Boats	5	187,523	1	10,990	- 94.1
Motorcycles	3,766	5,899	3,840	5,447	- 7.7
Motor Vehicles	2,338	2,294	4,236	4,749	+ 107.0
Tape Players, Tape Recorders, Exc. Parts	16,270	4,285	17,703	4,266	- 0.4
Telephone Apparatus Equipment & Parts		1,130		4,133	+ 265.8
Microwave Ovens	16,341	3,614	16,433	3,588	- 0.7
Photographic Chemicals		227		2,963	**
Calculating Machines & Parts	8,327	197	79,650	2,551	**
Cameras, Still Picture	3,721	271	16,657	2,275	+ 739.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		207,025		60,517	- 70.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		289,036		100,258	- 65.3

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	957,234	1,164,827	+ 19.4
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	579,693	803,897	+ 38.7
Other Motor Vehicles	264,431	293,543	+ 11.0
Other Photographic Goods	184,798	247,392	+ 33.9
Ships, Boats & Parts, Except Engines	192,612	228,105	+ 18.4
Trucks, Truck Tractors & Chassis	203,125	203,463	+ 0.2
Televisions, Radios & Phonographs	153,231	197,375	+ 28.8
Other Transportation Equipment	113,130	159,400	+ 40.9
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	121,582	154,576	+ 27.1
Miscellaneous Equipment & Tools	102,862	140,942	+ 37.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	2,890,698	3,593,520	+ 24.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	4,412,943	5,710,833	+ 29.4

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	30,243	35,327	49,430	289,036	100,258	+ 34.9
CANADA	2,795,844	4,038,388	3,526,797	4,412,943	5,710,833	+ 19.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

JORDAN

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined		-	34,251 ton	5,344	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives		-	1,636 cwt	92	-
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	70,539 cwt	1,114		-	- 100.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		8		-	- 100.0
Metal Fabricated Basic Products		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,123		5,436	+ 384.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,123		5,436	+ 384.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	-	5,344	-
Other Special Industries Machinery	2,560	1,683	- 34.3
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	3,504	677	- 80.7
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	220	675	+ 206.8
Organic Chemicals	94	283	+ 201.1
Other General Purpose Industrial Machinery	83	277	+ 233.7
Medical & Pharm. Products, in Dosage	147	226	+ 53.7
Apparrel & Apparrel Accessories	146	131	- 10.3
Other Equipment & Tools	16	116	+ 625.0
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	-	115	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	6,770	9,527	+ 40.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	12,809	10,534	- 17.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	132	-	707	1,123	5,436	+ 153.3
CANADA	13,986	16,847	23,786	12,809	10,534	- 6.8

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

JORDAN

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Special Transactions, Trade	41	23	- 43.9
Other End Products, Inedible	94	-	- 100.0
Electric Generators & Motors	64	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	199	23	- 88.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	199	23	- 88.4

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	-	-	-	-
CANADA	18	83	106	199	23	+ 6.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

KENYA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		1,675	-
Rapeseed Oil		-	5,509 cwt	243	-
Plastic Film & Sheet		-	123 cwt	25	-
Mining Machinery, Equipment & Parts		-		18	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		750		2	- 99.7
Ophthalmic Goods		-		1	-
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Equipment & Parts		-		1	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	397 cwt	25		-	- 100.0
Plastic End Products		19		-	- 100.0
Switchgear & Product Equipment & Parts		2		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		796		1,965	+ 146.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		796		1,965	+ 146.9

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	-	5,490	-
Prefabricated Buildings & Structures	-	3,134	-
Railway & Street Railway Rolling Stock	3,601	1,140	- 68.3
Zinc, Including Alloys	640	1,049	+ 63.9
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	656	884	+ 34.8
Other Equipment & Tools	109	859	+ 688.1
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	131	826	+ 530.5
Other Chemical Products	202	629	+ 211.4
Other Iron & Steel & Alloys	44	613	**
Firearms, Ammunition & Ordnance	414	597	+ 44.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	5,797	15,221	+ 162.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	12,319	23,087	+ 87.4

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	2,826	1,923	13	796	1,965	- 8.7
CANADA	14,041	26,686	24,438	12,319	23,087	+ 13.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

KENYA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		-		15	-
Vegetables, Dried		-	26,400 lb	11	-
Fishing Tackle & Parts, Sportsmen's		13		10	- 23.1
Beans, Dried		-	13,200 lb	4	-
Household Baskets, Boxes, Cans & Bags		-		1	-
Books & Pamphlets		-		1	-
Women's Handbags & Purses	99 dz	1	12 dz	1	+ 0.0
Art & Decorative Ware		-		1	-
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each *		5		-	- 100.0
Models for Demonstrations Etc. & Parts		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		20		45	+ 125.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		24		45	+ 87.5

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Tea	6,827	10,708	+ 56.8
Coffee	2,187	3,702	+ 69.3
Other Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	517	393	- 24.0
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,541	257	- 83.3
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	74	155	+ 109.5
Sporting & Recreation Equipment	54	45	- 16.7
Natural & Synthetic Gem Stones	3	42	**
Other Personal & Household Goods	9	38	+ 322.2
Other Crude Non-Metallic Minerals	-	35	-
Other Textile Fibres	-	26	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	11,212	15,401	+ 37.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	11,417	15,491	+ 35.7

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	154	142	65	24	45	- 26.5
CANADA	17,773	12,898	13,666	11,417	15,491	- 3.4

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500. each"

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

LIBYA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		358		6,008	**
Petro, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		76		288	+ 278.9
Ferro - Alloys		-	57 ton	43	-
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		-		16	-
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel		-	1 ton	13	-
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		13	-
Cleaning, Polishing prep. Household Chem.		-		2	-
Parts for Pumps		8		-	- 100.0
Gen. Purpose Industrial Machinery & Parts		8		-	- 100.0
Unclassifiable Exports		3		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		453		6,383	**
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		453		6,383	**
Wheat		8,818		6,497	- 26.3
Total (all commodities)		9,271		12,880	+ 38.9

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	37,878	26,400	- 30.3
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	6,592	14,789	+ 124.3
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	16,681	11,978	- 28.2
Engines & Turbines, General Purpose	3,614	11,614	+ 221.4
Aircraft, Complete With Engines	-	3,235	-
Electric Lighting & Distributing Equipment	316	1,209	+ 282.6
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	1,427	647	- 54.7
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	8,677	591	- 93.2
Other Measuring, Cont., Lab., Med. & Opt. Equipment	204	309	+ 51.5
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	321	258	- 19.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	75,710	71,030	- 6.2
TOTAL (all commodities)	78,466	72,370	- 7.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	80	2,157	1,826	453	6,383	+ 198.9
CANADA	72,118	111,904	119,030	78,466	72,370	+ 0.1

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

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IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Gas Cylinders, Metal, & Parts		-	98	26	-
Newspapers, Unbound		-		4	-
Goods Returned Within Five Years		59		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		59		30	- 49.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		59		30	- 49.2

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	34,849	72,370	+ 107.7
Containers & Closures	-	26	-
Other Metal Fabricated Basic Products	-	12	-
Other Special Transactions, Trade	88	6	- 93.2
Newspapers, Magazines & Periodicals	-	4	-
Watches, Clocks, Jewellery & Silverware	3	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	34,941	72,418	+ 107.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	34,941	72,418	+ 107.3

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	229	-	2,077	59	30	- 39.8
CANADA	231	149,629	22,674	34,941	72,418	+ 320.8

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

MADAGASCAR

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Contractors Equipment & Tools		105		1,339	**
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		20		257	**
Construction Machinery & Equipment		-		22	-
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles			-	18	-
Laboratory Instr. Equipment & Parts		-		15	-
Generators, Incl. Self-Contained Generator Sets	25	716		-	- 100.0
Aircraft, Complete With Engines	1	648		-	- 100.0
Generator Parts, & Accessories		91		-	- 100.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery & Parts		7		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,587		1,651	+ 4.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,587		1,651	+ 4.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Special Transactions, Trade	106	2,130	**
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	10	357	**
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	27	257	+ 851.9
Aircraft Engines & Parts	-	211	-
Printed Matter	38	118	+ 210.5
Fish, Canned	-	107	-
Medical & Pharm. Products, In Dosage	20	36	+ 80.0
Construction Machinery & Equipment	-	22	-
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	-	18	-
Other Measuring, Cont., Lab., Med. & Opt. Equipment	35	15	- 57.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	236	3,244	**
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,748	3,260	+ 86.5

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	2	32	87	1,587	1,651	+ 436.0
CANADA	23,364	16,243	2,336	1,748	3,260	- 38.9

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

MADAGASCAR

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		131		105	- 19.8
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each *		-		1	-
Cloves, Ground or Unground	178 lb	1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		132		106	- 19.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		132		106	- 19.7

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Coffee	255	1,468	+ 475.7
Other Special Transactions, Trade	137	107	- 21.9
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	259	95	- 63.3
Containers & Closures	32	29	- 9.4
Aircraft Engines & Parts	-	20	-
Other End Products, Inedible	24	13	- 45.8
Other Wood Fabricated Materials	13	-	- 100.0
Other Personal & Household Goods	5	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	725	1,732	+ 138.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	725	1,732	+ 138.9

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	-	132	106	- 19.7
CANADA	-	-	242	725	1,732	+ 167.5

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500 each"

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

MALAYSIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	762,516 cwt	6,935	688,224 cwt	6,117	- 11.8
Polyethylene Resins	512 cwt	23	5,654 cwt	256	**
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		100		137	+ 37.0
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber Not Shaped		-	2,998 cwt	119	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		78		115	+ 47.4
Measuring & Controlling Instruments		-		108	-
Generators, Incl. Self-Contained Generator Sets	20	234	7	92	- 60.7
Metal Fabricated Basic Products		-		77	-
Physical Prop. Test. Equipment & Parts		-		30	-
Swine, Purebred		-	32	13	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		7,370		7,064	- 4.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		7,893		7,088	- 10.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Barley	37	43,138	**
Aircraft, Complete With Engines	4,380	21,278	+ 385.8
Newsprint Paper	16,436	21,159	+ 28.7
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	12,235	14,759	+ 20.6
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	7,714	13,340	+ 72.9
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	4,226	12,765	+ 202.1
Aluminum, Including Alloys	19,630	12,279	- 37.4
Organic Chemicals	7,158	6,492	- 9.3
Zinc, Including Alloys	3,645	4,061	+ 11.4
Other Textile Fabricated Materials	3,301	3,687	+ 11.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	78,762	152,958	+ 94.2
TOTAL (all commodities)	114,003	187,727	+ 64.7

EXPORT PERFORMANCE

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	308	971	6,311	7,893	7,088	+ 119.0
CANADA	93,121	125,706	118,458	114,003	187,727	+ 19.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

MALAYSIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Polyester - Cotton Broad Woven Fabric	3,313 lb	13	28,123 lb	85	+ 553.8
Pineapple, Canned		-	29,925 lb	13	-
Drill Twill Warp Sateen Cotton Bleached		-	3,855 lb	8	-
Tableware		2		1	- 50.0
Tuna, Canned	162 cwt	27		-	- 100.0
Palm Oil	1,483 cwt	27		-	- 100.0
Tuna, Canned, Flake Pack	135 cwt	20		-	- 100.0
Gloves & Mittens, Man-Made Fibre	129 dz pr	3		-	- 100.0
Furniture, Wooden, Household, Not Uphostered		2		-	- 100.0
Dresses, Cotton, Except Knitted	300	1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		95		107	+ 12.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		99		107	+ 8.1

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Rubber, Allied Gums, Natural	38,162	44,100	+ 15.6
Vegetable Oils & Fats, Except Essential Oil	22,381	39,559	+ 76.8
Outerwear, Except Knitted	4,147	10,438	+ 151.7
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	7,091	9,653	+ 36.1
Outerwear, Knitted	1,904	9,014	+ 373.4
Other Wood Fabricated Materials	5,185	8,545	+ 64.8
Broad Woven Fabrics, Mixed Fibres	9,389	8,153	- 13.2
Electronic Tubes & Semi-Conductors	3,321	6,003	+ 80.8
Telephone & Telegraph Equipment	1,515	5,619	+ 270.9
Fish & Marine Animals	5,707	5,333	- 6.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	98,802	146,417	+ 48.2
TOTAL (all commodities)	115,581	167,965	+ 45.3

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	117	13	95	99	107	- 2.2
CANADA	83,458	100,031	89,193	115,581	167,965	+ 19.1

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

MEXICO

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Propane Gas, Liquified	4,191,860 gal	2,499	2,871,501 gal	1,721	- 31.1
Cattle, Purebred	11	16	317	661	**
Fancy Meats, Pork, Fresh or Frozen	1,614 cwt	31	8,014 cwt	235	+ 658.1
Fancy Meats, Bovine, Fresh or Frozen	2,673 cwt	65	4,529 cwt	211	+ 224.6
Cattle, Dairy, Purebred		-	175	205	-
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		-		170	-
Industrial Hoists & Lifts		-	2	163	-
Inorganic Chemicals		-		110	-
Power Boilers, Equipment & Parts		-		86	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		-		85	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,611		3,647	+ 39.7
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		2,978		4,124	+ 38.5
Canola		-		11,140	-
Barley		5,817		5,851	+ 0.6
Flaxseed		-		94	-
Wheat		17,725		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		26,520		21,209	- 20.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	19,325	33,952	+ 75.7
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	22,239	27,633	+ 24.3
Canola	-	27,283	-
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	2,104	23,150	**
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	13,050	18,332	+ 40.5
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	8,845	17,216	+ 94.6
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	14,729	14,666	- 0.4
Motor Vehicle Engines & Parts	15,934	13,880	- 12.9
Live Animals	748	13,694	**
Barley	12,542	13,088	+ 4.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	109,517	202,904	+ 85.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	369,879	350,727	- 5.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	10,261	11,612	7,838	2,978	4,124	- 20.4
CANADA	483,870	715,296	446,089	369,879	350,727	- 7.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

MEXICO

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Liqueurs	7,741 p gal	475	37,725 p gal	2,056	+ 332.8
Tomatoes, Fresh	4,899,634 lb	1,919	4,681,211 lb	1,740	- 9.3
Electrical Equipment Appl. & Parts		62		950	**
Peppers, Fresh	1,864,347 lb	1,016	1,942,611 lb	915	- 9.9
Cowboy Boots	17,231 pr	1,106	14,079 pr	898	- 18.8
Cucumbers, Fresh	2,719,725 lb	902	2,367,460 lb	740	- 18.0
Cantaloups & Muskmelons, Fresh	1,122,551 lb	434	1,819,242 lb	691	+ 59.2
Distilled Beverages & Spirits	32,848 p gal	539	38,187 p gal	644	+ 19.5
Melons, Fresh	5,088,039 lb	664	4,618,818 lb	556	- 16.3
Baler Twine	915,360 lb	359	1,467,022 lb	496	+ 38.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		7,476		9,686	+ 29.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		10,817		13,575	+ 25.5

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	645,338	572,363	- 11.3
Motor Vehicle Engines	90,381	411,649	+ 355.5
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	79,311	109,211	+ 37.7
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	62,871	72,273	+ 15.0
Motor Vehicle Engine Parts	25,969	47,334	+ 82.3
Coffee	14,700	25,606	+ 74.2
Other Crude Non-Metallic Minerals	16,374	16,154	- 1.3
Other Fresh Vegetables	15,244	15,678	+ 2.8
Electronic Computers	5,055	13,839	+ 173.8
Miscellaneous Equipment & Tools	7,191	12,931	+ 79.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	962,434	1,297,038	+ 34.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,089,448	1,437,696	+ 32.0

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	11,612	11,493	10,031	10,817	13,575	+ 4.0
CANADA	345,403	996,354	998,313	1,089,448	1,437,696	+ 42.8

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

MOROCCO

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	114,819 ton	11,403	112,041 ton	14,369	+ 26.0
Generators, Incl. Self-Contained Generator Sets	1	11		-	- 100.0
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		3		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		11,417		14,369	+ 25.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		11,417		14,369	+ 25.9

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	40,153	43,363	+ 8.0
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	3,732	5,139	+ 37.7
Canola	4,400	4,800	+ 9.1
Lumber, Softwood	213	2,465	**
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	7,148	1,326	- 81.4
Other General Purpose Industrial Machinery	27	1,187	**
Other Special Industries Machinery	67	739	**
Other Non-Metallic Mineral Basic Products	68	324	+ 376.5
Yarn, Thread, Cordage, Twine & Rope	-	231	-
Wheat	-	183	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	55,808	59,757	+ 7.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	59,385	60,517	+ 1.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	22,682	38,977	32,629	11,417	14,369	- 10.8
CANADA	70,884	104,090	104,683	59,385	60,517	- 3.9

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

MOROCCO

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Cut Flowers & Decor Plant Materials		-		4	-
Blouses, Except Knitted	1,240	4	1,136	4	+ 0.0
Oriental Rugs, Genuine	5 sq yd	1	73 sq yd	2	+ 100.0
Billfolds, Wallets & Coin Purses	232 dz	3	127 doz	2	- 33.3
Women's Handbags & Purses	133 dz	5		-	- 100.0
Blouses, Cotton, Except Knitted	663	2		-	- 100.0
Suitcases & Travelling Bags	381	2		-	- 100.0
Carpets, Rugs, Mats & Runners		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		19		13	- 31.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		19		13	- 31.6

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Oranges, Mandarines, Tangerines, Fresh	7,776	7,198	- 7.4
Other Crude Non-Metallic Minerals	6,139	5,395	- 12.1
Outerwear, Except Knitted	266	344	+ 29.3
Other Fruit & Fruit Preparations	449	299	- 33.4
Footwear	43	257	+ 497.7
Fish & Marine Animals	427	238	- 44.3
Other Crude Vegetable Products	99	203	+ 105.1
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	-	177	-
Other Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	-	162	-
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	62	114	+ 83.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	15,261	14,387	- 5.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	15,818	14,980	- 5.3

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	5	7	17	19	13	+ 27.0
CANADA	11,086	15,423	15,393	15,818	14,980	+ 7.8

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

MOZAMBIQUE

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	49, 013 ton	4,842	73,617 ton	8,812	+ 82.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		4,842		8,812	+ 82.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		4,842		8,812	+ 82.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	6,445	11,385	+ 76.6
Wheat	3,497	8,101	+ 131.7
Railway Track Material	-	6,627	-
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	-	2,919	-
Fish, Canned	186	2,429	**
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	62	1,357	**
Other Cereals, Unmilled	-	1,062	-
Containers & Closures	-	207	-
Other Waste & Scrap Material	-	10	-
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	58	9	- 84.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	10,248	34,106	+ 232.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	10,516	34,110	+ 224.4

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	7,285	13,214	21,276	4,842	8,812	+ 4.9
CANADA	14,117	19,675	28,750	10,516	34,110	+ 24.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

MOZAMBIQUE

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	90	264	+ 193.3
Tea	141	149	+ 5.7
Coffee	67	33	- 50.7
Other Special Transactions, Trade	-	4	-
Live Animals	3	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	301	450	+ 49.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	301	450	+ 49.5

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	-	-	-	-
CANADA	2,198	842	967	301	450	- 32.7

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

NETHERLANDS

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		37,774		21,163	
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	2,799,916 cwt	28,147	2,476,416 cwt	19,752	- 29.8
Nickel & Nickel Alloy Scrap		-	48,312 cwt	13,288	-
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	51,519 ton	4,892	66,414 ton	7,240	+ 48.0
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	14,178 cwt	914	26,206 cwt	1,440	+ 57.5
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		7		591	**
Cranes & Derricks		-	2	491	-
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Materials	398 cwt	193	1,594 cwt	435	+ 125.4
Honey	187,500 lb	122	706,237 lb	413	+ 238.5
Trucks & Chassis, Commercial	2	10	1	178	**
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		72,059		64,991	- 9.8
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		72,716		65,757	- 9.6
Canola		4,881		35,380	+ 624.9
Wheat		9,051		3,691	- 59.2
Flaxseed		1,088		1,813	+ 66.6
Barley		21,986		1,505	- 93.2
Oats		-		238	-
Rye		-		170	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		109,722		108,554	- 1.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Organic Chemicals	184,986	169,543	- 8.3
Iron Ores & Concentrates	69,306	119,425	+ 72.3
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	72,090	118,237	+ 64.0
Canola	12,001	86,651	+ 622.0
Photographic Goods	39,001	50,369	+ 29.1
Other Chemical Products	39,556	48,094	+ 21.6
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	29,463	39,755	+ 34.9
Office Machines & Equipment	37,229	36,223	- 2.7
Copper & Alloys	71,797	29,145	- 59.4
Flaxseed	14,818	29,002	+ 95.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	570,247	726,444	+ 27.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	957,148	1,063,338	+ 11.1

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	22,929	33,900	63,976	72,716	65,757	+ 30.1
CANADA	1,433,947	1,196,348	1,043,788	957,148	1,063,338	- 7.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

NETHERLANDS

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Heterocyclic Compounds	4,319 cwt	2,064	6,171 cwt	3,998	+ 93.7
Cellulose Plastics	16,113 cwt	2,430	22,469 cwt	3,092	+ 27.2
Cut Flowers & Decor. Plant Materials		1,228		1,700	+ 38.4
Excavator-Type Crane, Shovel, Power		-	14	1,484	-
Parts & Accessories for Ships & Boats		1,588		1,289	- 18.8
Electronic Computers & Parts		685		896	+ 30.8
Methyl Chlorophenoxyacetic Acid	472 cwt	83	4,961 cwt	756	+ 935.6
Rock Drill Bits, Rotary Type	20	58	428	690	**
Sea Fish, Fresh or Frozen	2,275 cwt	452	2,781 cwt	545	+ 20.6
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Equipment & Parts		191		422	+ 120.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		8,769		14,872	+ 69.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		16,574		22,836	+ 37.8

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Petroleum & Coal Products	208	45,325	**
Organic Chemicals	26,321	41,139	+ 56.3
Other Photographic Goods	11,822	26,475	+ 123.9
Other Crude Vegetable Products	18,273	22,473	+ 23.0
Unexposed Photographic Film & Plates	19,085	19,120	+ 0.2
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	9,863	18,545	+ 88.0
Fuel Oil	11,429	18,408	+ 61.1
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	5,015	17,108	+ 241.1
Cocoa & Chocolate	11,977	16,614	+ 38.7
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	10,930	14,072	+ 28.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	124,923	239,279	+ 91.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	349,756	545,421	+ 55.9

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	10,730	10,733	13,545	16,574	22,836	+ 20.8
CANADA	263,609	295,763	267,295	349,756	545,421	+ 19.9

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

NEW ZEALAND

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	70,136 ton	5,729	120,185 ton	13,456	+ 134.9
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	5,900 cwt	228	54,376 cwt	2,124	+ 831.6
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		355		1,031	+ 190.4
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		1,926		591	- 69.3
Rapeseed Oil	11,199 cwt	278	15,056 cwt	487	+ 75.2
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	202,258 cwt	2,424	27,078 cwt	487	- 79.9
Polyethylene Resins	2,094 cwt	106	7,867 cwt	404	+ 281.1
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		51		178	+ 249.0
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	2,376 cwt	122	2,982 cwt	154	+ 26.2
Animal Semen, Bovine		28		152	+ 442.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		11,247		19,064	+ 69.5
TOTAL (all commodities)		12,148		19,821	+ 63.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	15,114	26,854	+ 77.7
Petroleum & Coal Products	17	15,303	**
Aircraft, Complete With Engines	-	11,227	-
Fish, Canned	6,029	10,590	+ 75.7
Zinc, Including Alloys	4,960	10,208	+ 105.8
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	7,155	8,601	+ 20.2
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	6,447	7,647	+ 18.6
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	4,576	6,585	+ 43.9
Firearms, Ammunition & Ordnance	108	6,331	**
Office Machines & Equipment	3,169	4,511	+ 42.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	47,575	107,857	+ 126.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	122,362	189,381	+ 54.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	4,163	9,481	6,425	12,148	19,821	+ 47.7
CANADA	113,318	139,863	156,189	122,362	189,381	+ 13.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

NEW ZEALAND

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Miscellaneous End Products		294		665	+ 126.2
Sweaters, Cardigans, Women's, Girl's, Knit Wool	650	19	2,024	62	+ 226.3
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	6,130 gal	60	6,322 gal	57	- 5.0
Physiotherapy & Verterinary Instr.		34		52	+ 52.9
Bookbinding Machinery Equipment & Parts		-		45	-
Sherry	4,465 gal	35	5,154 gal	41	+ 17.1
Cut Flowers & Decor. Plant Materials		7		37	+ 428.6
Costume Jewellery		44		35	- 20.5
Wood Yarn, Worsted Spun		-	2,470 lb	26	-
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		-		26	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		493		1,046	+ 112.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		914		1,238	+ 35.4

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Meat, Fresh, Chilled or Frozen	102,956	67,737	- 34.2
Other Fresh Fruit & Berries	12,634	10,776	- 14.7
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	6,472	7,054	+ 9.0
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	5,677	6,307	+ 11.1
Wool & Fine Animal Hair	6,513	5,965	- 8.4
Other Crude Animal Products	4,273	4,450	+ 4.1
Leather & Leather Fabricated Materials	1,150	1,695	+ 47.4
House Furnishings	1,279	1,509	+ 18.0
Other End Products, Inedible	1,016	1,312	+ 29.1
Other Metal Fabricated Basic Products	497	1,262	+ 153.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	142,467	108,067	- 24.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	156,571	122,366	- 21.8

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	985	823	2,710	914	1,238	+ 5.9
CANADA	146,950	145,740	140,455	156,571	122,366	- 4.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

NIGERIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Struct Architectural Metal Prod.		135		54	- 60.0
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		8		34	+ 325.0
Rock Drill Bits		-		9	-
Generators, Incl. Self-Contained Generator Sets		-	1	9	-
Printing & Bookbinding Machinery & Parts		-		4	-
Engines & Turbines & Parts		-		3	-
Construction Machinery & Equipment		52		-	- 100.0
Pumps & Pumping Systems		25		-	- 100.0
Medical & Related Instr. Equipment & Parts		5		-	- 100.0
Printed Matter		3		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		227		113	- 50.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		227		113	- 50.2
Wheat		1,732		2,124	+ 22.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,959		2,237	+ 14.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	9,983	44,892	+ 349.7
Wheat	7,441	8,630	+ 16.0
Other Measuring, Cont., Lab., Med. & Opt. Eqpt.	478	4,401	+ 820.7
Newsprint Paper	5,387	3,974	- 26.2
Other General Purpose Industrial Machinery	323	1,996	+ 518.0
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	9,392	1,866	- 80.1
Other Paper	718	1,603	+ 123.3
Heating & Refrigeration Equipment	354	1,265	+ 257.3
Zinc, Including Alloys	4,439	1,132	- 74.5
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	-	875	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	38,515	70,634	+ 83.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	50,252	75,345	+ 49.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	212	220	205	227	113	- 14.6
CANADA	102,424	96,797	62,936	50,252	75,345	- 7.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

NIGERIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	191,837	250,467	+ 30.6
Cocoa & Chocolate	-	149	-
Other Special Transactions, Trade	821	85	- 89.6
Other End Products, Inedible	14	-	- 100.0
Live Animals	6	-	- 100.0
Drilling Machinery & Drill Bits	5	-	- 100.0
Other Measuring, Laboratory Equipment, Etc.	5	-	- 100.0
Other Personal & Household Goods	2	-	- 100.0
Other Printed Matter	2	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	192,692	250,700	+ 30.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	192,692	250,700	+ 30.1

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	13	18	-	-	-	-
CANADA	41,750	112,011	64,690	192,692	250,700	+ 56.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

NORWAY

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		389	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		171		284	+ 66.1
Perfumes, Toilet Prep. & Cosmetics		57		87	+ 52.6
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		88		76	- 13.6
Electronic Equipment Components		2		75	**
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	163 cwt	27	693 cwt	53	+ 96.3
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	1,191 cwt	71	224 cwt	23	- 67.6
Animal Glands & Glandular Materials		-	14,383 lb	12	-
Mining Machinery, Equipment & Parts		10		6	- 40.0
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		3		5	+ 66.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		429		1,010	+ 135.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		557		1,027	+ 84.4

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Nickel in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	116,908	193,329	+ 65.4
Copper in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	27,818	38,571	+ 38.7
Wheat	19,733	24,573	+ 24.5
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	6,061	17,786	+ 193.4
Oil Seed Cake & Meal	5,708	11,259	+ 97.2
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	3,444	5,004	+ 45.3
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	965	3,483	+ 260.9
Office Machines & Equipment	1,242	2,841	+ 128.7
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	709	2,471	+ 248.5
Materials Handling Machinery & Equipment	245	2,443	+ 897.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	182,833	301,760	+ 65.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	230,490	325,218	+ 41.1

EXPORT PERFORMANCE

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,168	820	5,368	557	1,027	- 3.2
CANADA	344,965	422,443	254,558	230,490	325,218	- 1.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

NORWAY

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Ships & Boats		-	2	5,475	-
Chain, Incl. Shackles & Fittings		157		482	+ 207.0
Plows & Parts	8	84	64	350	+ 316.7
Rubber Hose & Tubing		13		114	+ 776.9
Furniture, Household, Upholstered		130		94	- 27.7
Fishing Tackle & Parts, Sportsmen's		56		84	+ 50.0
Office Furniture & Visible Record Equipment		151		58	- 61.6
Aluminum Sheet, Strip Ov. .025-.051		-	392 cwt	52	-
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		-		50	-
Wire Rope, New, Coated or Not		-	33 ton	37	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		591		6,796	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,091		7,047	+ 545.9

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Metal Fabricated Basic Products	69,964	21,036	- 69.9
Nickel & Alloys	5,808	18,583	+ 220.0
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,321	15,363	**
Ships, Boats & Parts, Except Engines	132,887	7,224	- 94.6
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	28	5,080	**
Other Meat & Meat Preparations	2,388	4,100	+ 71.7
Fish & Marine Animals	3,102	3,865	+ 24.6
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	4,471	3,418	- 23.6
Abrasive Basic Products	4,410	3,325	- 24.6
Pulp & Paper Industries Machinery	3,288	3,162	- 3.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	227,567	85,156	- 62.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	313,562	134,203	- 57.2

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,084	1,211	652	1,091	7,047	+ 59.7
CANADA	80,558	169,137	92,684	313,562	134,203	+ 13.6

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

PAKISTAN

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		513		1,893	+ 269.0
Gas Compressors		-	1	904	-
Man-Made Fibres	187,333 lb	292	380,311 lb	503	+ 72.3
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		340		410	+ 20.6
Generators, Incl. Self-Cont. Generator Sets	9	59	1	174	+ 194.9
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		224		89	- 60.3
Elevators & Escalators & Parts		-		52	-
Converter Equipment & Parts		-		36	-
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Materials		-	88 cwt	24	-
Welding Apparatus, Equipment & Parts		-		14	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,428		4,099	+ 187.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		3,294		4,135	+ 25.5

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Coal	10,828	10,790	- 0.4
Aluminum, Including Alloys	-	9,156	-
Wheat	5,029	6,605	+ 31.3
Prefabricated Buildings & Structures	1,239	6,503	+ 424.9
Engines & Turbines, General Purpose	1,587	6,334	+ 299.1
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	1,021	6,112	+ 498.6
Electric Lighting & Distribution Equipment	28	5,458	**
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	2,275	4,917	+ 116.1
Railway & Street Railway Rolling Stock	12,835	4,422	- 65.5
Iron Ores & Concentrates	2,903	3,720	+ 28.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	37,745	64,017	+ 69.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	65,441	90,327	+ 38.0

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	283	1,467	4,748	3,294	4,135	+ 95.5
CANADA	58,482	90,677	104,143	65,441	90,327	+ 11.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

PAKISTAN

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Oriental Rugs, Genuine	1,827 sq yd	127	1,590 sq yd	157	+ 23.6
Goods Returned Within Five Years		115		34	- 70.4
Balls for Sports & Games		-		9	-
Gloves, Work & Special Purpose		-	490 dz pr	6	-
Carpets, Rugs, Mats, & Runners		1		5	+ 400.0
Pliers		-	4,800	5	-
Gloves & Mittens, Leather	239 dz pr	15	30 dz pr	3	- 80.0
Art & Decorative Ware		1		2	+ 100.0
Sporting Recreation Equipment & Parts		-		2	-
Magnetic tape		-		2	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		259		225	- 13.1
TOTAL (all commodities)		319		226	- 29.2

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Special Transactions, Trade	696	28,591	**
House Furnishings	4,435	6,284	+ 41.7
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton	5,121	6,183	+ 20.7
Outerwear, Except Knitted	3,339	5,007	+ 50.0
Fruit, Dried or Dehydrated	793	2,354	+ 196.8
Outerwear, Knitted	680	1,396	+ 105.3
Medical & Related Equipment	527	906	+ 71.9
Other Fabricated Materials, Inedible	343	777	+ 126.5
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	779	770	- 1.2
Hand Tools & Cutlery	506	359	- 29.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	17,219	52,627	+ 205.6
TOTAL (all commodities)	18,526	54,232	+ 192.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	277	488	135	319	226	- 5.0
CANADA	15,386	17,474	16,031	18,526	54,232	+ 37.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

PERU

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Milled Cereals		1,384		1,858	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		3,143		153	- 95.1
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		149	-
Laboratory Instr. Equipment & Parts		-		98	-
Milk Powder, Skim Milk		-	480 cwt	61	-
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		9		41	+ 355.6
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		601		34	- 94.3
Wood Pulp Bl. Sulphite Paper Grades		-	441 cwt ad	12	-
Parts of Measuring & Control Instr.		-		6	-
Measuring & Controlling Instruments		7		5	- 28.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		5,144		2,417	- 53.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		6,443		2,427	- 62.3
Wheat		-		3,545	-
Barley		1,268		705	- 44.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		7,711		6,677	- 13.4

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	-	14,404	-
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	14,543	13,444	- 7.6
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	13,391	10,100	- 24.6
Newsprint Paper	9,658	7,202	- 25.4
Other Textile Fabricated Materials	2,474	5,479	+ 121.5
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	1,505	2,656	+ 76.5
Materials Handling Machinery & Equipment	816	2,607	+ 219.5
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	45	2,429	**
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	1,191	2,259	+ 89.7
Fish, Preserved, Except Canned	-	2,090	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	43,623	62,670	+ 43.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	82,014	95,655	+ 16.6

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	517	4,609	5,874	6,443	2,427	+ 47.2
CANADA	54,713	92,488	105,115	82,014	95,655	+ 15.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

PERU

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		-		77	-
Well Casing, New		-	22 ton	21	-
Fur Goods, Apparel		-	27	10	-
Sweaters, Cardigans, Women's, Girl's, Knit Wool		-	752	5	-
Shellfish, Fresh or Frozen		-	8 cwt	4	-
Oranges, Mandarines, Tangarines, Fresh		-	7,566 lb	3	-
Saddlery, Harness, Whips & Parts		-		3	-
Draperies & Tapestries, Except Rugs	73 lb	1	281 lb	2	+ 100.0
Fruit, Fresh, Except Berries		-	2,762 lb	2	-
Fur Plates, Mats, Etc. Dressed, Dyed		-		1	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1		128	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		8		133	**

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	38,641	37,735	- 2.3
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	44,787	33,085	- 26.1
Coffee	9,221	10,028	+ 8.8
Cotton Yarn & Thread	7,304	7,170	- 1.8
Other Non-Ferrous Metals & Alloys	1,697	3,514	+ 107.1
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton	492	1,852	+ 276.4
Fish & Marine Animals	123	1,257	+ 922.0
Broad Woven Fabrics, Man-Made	406	1,117	+ 175.1
Broad Woven Fabrics, Wool & Hair	300	1,052	+ 250.7
Other Special Transactions, Trade	454	910	+ 100.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	103,425	97,720	- 5.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	119,632	102,052	- 14.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	92	71	954	8	133	+ 9.7
CANADA	96,246	51,099	33,184	119,632	102,052	+ 1.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

PHILIPPINES

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	403,331 cwt	4,961	171,958 cwt	2,640	- 46.8
Man-Made Fibres	682,624 lb	1,048	118,972 lb	181	- 82.7
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	567 cwt	21	1,940 cwt	91	+ 333.3
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Equipment & Parts		5		29	+ 480.0
Commercial Telecommunications Equipment		-		29	-
Medical & Related Instr. Equipment & Parts		-		26	-
Polyethylene Resins	2,425 cwt	109	485 cwt	24	- 78.0
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		288		23	- 92.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		257		22	- 91.4
Engines & Turbines & Parts		-		12	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		6,689		3,077	- 54.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		6,950		3,089	- 55.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	7,694	7,886	+ 2.5
Iron Ores & Concentrates	7,222	7,441	+ 3.0
Zinc, Including Alloys	7,760	5,930	- 23.6
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	4,270	5,722	+ 34.0
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	2,906	4,565	+ 57.1
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	10,180	4,543	- 55.4
Organic Chemicals	5,274	2,862	- 45.7
Coal	1,361	1,772	+ 30.2
Paperboard	52	1,370	**
Special Transactions, Trade	316	1,169	+ 269.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	47,035	43,260	- 8.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	76,828	56,781	- 26.1

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	26,863	3,607	1,976	6,950	3,089	- 41.8
CANADA	83,079	83,096	99,977	76,828	56,781	- 9.1

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

PHILIPPINES

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		-		831	-
Household Furniture		163		74	- 54.6
Other Golf Equipment & Parts		-		71	-
Wigs, Hairfalls & Similar Hair Products		27		23	- 14.8
Doors of Wood		-	421	21	-
Rope 1.5 Inches & Under Circ.		-	27,765 lb	19	-
Household Baskets, Boxes, Cans & Bags		18		15	- 16.7
Magnetic Tape		9		15	+ 66.7
Cordage & Twine		-	19,267 lb	12	-
Switchgear & Protect Equipment & Parts		-		10	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		217		1,091	+ 402.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		454		1,184	+ 160.8

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Outerwear, Except Knitted	10,540	15,031	+ 42.6
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	9,604	11,469	+ 19.4
Vegetable Oils & Fats, Except Essential Oil	6,458	10,571	+ 63.7
Fruit & Products, Canned	4,358	7,885	+ 80.9
Coffee	5,128	7,846	+ 53.0
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	5,139	7,686	+ 49.6
Fish & Marine Animals	7,357	7,665	+ 4.2
Outerwear, Knitted	3,236	7,642	+ 136.2
Electronic Tubes & Semi-Conductors	1,255	5,257	+ 318.9
Other Wood Fabricated Materials	2,297	3,723	+ 62.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	55,372	84,775	+ 53.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	88,300	117,321	+ 32.9

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	993	327	405	454	1,184	+ 4.5
CANADA	101,481	108,682	82,219	88,300	117,321	+ 3.7

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

POLAND

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	8,730 cwt	429	14,289 cwt	743	+ 73.2
Clover Seed, Alsike	317,465 lb	99	396,832 lb	120	+ 21.2
Hydrocarbons & Their Derivatives		-	399 cwt	21	-
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		-		1	-
Cobalt	1,672 lb	28		-	- 100.0
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	89 ton	7			- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		562		885	+ 57.5
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		562		885	+ 57.5
Wheat		4,331		3,083	- 28.8
Barley		6,126		-	- 100.0
Canola		16		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		11,035		3,968	- 64.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	18,605	12,527	- 32.7
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	-	4,647	-
Aircraft Engines & Parts	1,939	2,962	+ 52.8
Organic Chemicals	1,351	2,461	+ 82.2
Raw Hides & Skins	-	2,334	-
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	892	1,748	+ 96.0
Iron Ores & Concentrates	-	1,545	-
Yarn, Thread, Cordage, Twine & Rope	1,029	1,476	+ 43.4
Other Special Industries Machinery	673	1,428	+ 112.2
Pulp & Paper Industries Machinery	2,123	1,085	- 48.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	26,612	32,213	+ 21.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	43,747	35,796	- 18.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	153	-	562	885	+ 79.5
CANADA	345,533	329,266	358,633	43,747	35,796	- 43.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

POLAND

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Distilled Beverages & Spirits	10,529 gal	101	19,241 gal	198	+ 96.0
Packing, Non Re-usable		19		27	+ 42.1
Pumps & Parts		6		21	+ 250.0
Liqueurs	133 p gal	3	108 p gal	3	+ 0.0
Tableware, Glass		27			- 100.0
Anvils, Vises & Parts		16			- 100.0
Tumbler & Stemware Glass or Crystal		14		-	- 100.0
Food Prep. Appliances Electric & Parts		9			- 100.0
Art & Decorative Ware, Glass		8		-	- 100.0
Paintings & Pastels, Made by Hand	11	5		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		208		249	+ 19.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		213		249	+ 16.9

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	-	6,902	-
House Furnishings	5,040	5,503	+ 9.2
Outerwear, Except Knitted	2,518	4,950	+ 96.6
Aircraft Engines & Parts	3,170	4,004	+ 26.3
Outerwear, Knitted	2,417	2,835	+ 17.3
Other Personal & Household Goods	1,612	2,276	+ 41.2
Footwear	2,228	1,549	- 30.5
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,155	1,535	+ 32.9
Other Textile Fabricated Materials	1,673	1,525	- 8.8
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	-	1,422	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	19,813	32,501	+ 64.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	39,512	57,588	+ 45.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	115	170	356	213	249	+ 21.3
CANADA	72,159	73,956	43,562	39,512	57,588	- 5.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

ROMANIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	15,708 ton	1,507	25,684 ton	4,276	+ 183.7
Non-Ferrous Metal Alloys		-	8,745 lb	139	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,507		4,415	+ 193.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,507		4,415	+ 193.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Engines & Turbines, General Purpose	-	11,079	-
Sulphur	1,507	8,178	+ 442.7
Other Transportation Equipment	150	1,465	+ 876.7
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	199	693	+ 248.2
Other Special Industries Machinery	628	428	- 31.8
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	355	252	- 29.0
Other End Products	226	246	+ 8.8
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	1,616	245	- 84.8
Other Non-Ferrous Metals & Alloys	-	139	-
Other Chemical Products	3	76	**
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	4,684	22,801	+ 386.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	16,398	23,096	+ 40.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	933	-	-	1,507	4,415	+ 47.5
CANADA	21,987	9,139	4,059	16,398	23,096	+ 1.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

ROMANIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Well Casing, New		-	178 ton	122	-
Household Furniture		-		11	-
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each*		-		1	-
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	443 gal	2		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2		134	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		3		134	**

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Outerwear, Except Knitted	5,828	11,821	+ 102.8
Aluminum, Including Alloys	-	5,613	-
Wheel Tractors, New	1,779	4,763	+ 167.7
Outerwear, Knitted	3,048	4,273	+ 40.2
Furniture & Fixtures	3,341	3,747	+ 12.2
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	780	2,244	+ 187.7
Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery Tableware	1,726	1,932	+ 11.9
Footwear	1,706	1,502	- 12.0
Broad Woven Fabrics, Cotton	831	1,456	+ 75.2
Broad Woven Fabrics, Mixed Fibres	265	1,352	+ 410.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	19,304	38,703	+ 100.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	50,131	47,348	- 5.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	158	681	19	3	134	- 4.0
CANADA	37,792	46,466	30,479	50,131	47,348	+ 5.8

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500. each"

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SAUDI ARABIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Motor Vehicles		-	3	1,881	-
Cranes & Derricks		-	2	730	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		1,488		624	- 58.1
Woodland Log Handling Equipment		-	1	396	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		251		377	+ 50.2
Lumber, Spruce Pine Fir (S-P-F)		-	856 mbf	274	-
Contractors Equipment & Tools		182		227	+ 24.7
Plastics Fabricated Materials		54	1,520 cwt	134	+ 148.1
Lumber With Hemlock & Amabilis Hem-Fir		-	349 mbf	76	-
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		14		71	+ 407.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,989		4,790	+ 140.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		3,703		4,965	+ 34.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	78,234	128,761	+ 64.6
Lumber, Softwood	63,713	40,342	- 36.7
Trucks, Truck Tractors & Chassis	55,521	36,976	- 33.4
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	20,897	29,322	+ 40.3
Barley	-	15,940	-
Other Equipment & Tools	10,007	10,143	+ 1.4
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	14,836	6,318	- 57.4
Copper & Alloys	491	5,940	**
Navigation Equipment & Parts	2,987	5,326	+ 78.3
Other Non-Metallic Mineral Basic Products	3,637	4,859	+ 33.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	250,323	283,927	+ 13.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	364,165	361,873	- 0.6

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,885	4,308	1,987	3,703	4,965	+ 27.4
CANADA	310,413	455,593	442,791	364,165	361,873	+ 3.9

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SAUDI ARABIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		56		630	**
Household Furniture		2		6	+ 200.0
Jewellery/Findings, Precious Metals		-		2	-
Printed Matter		-		1	-
Air & Gas Compressors, Stationary	2	12		-	- 100.0
Furniture, Wooden, Household, Not Uphostered		9		-	- 100.0
Outerwear, Except Knitted	369	5		-	- 100.0
Carpets, Rugs, Mats & Runners		4		-	- 100.0
Photographs		2		-	- 100.0
Commercial Communication Equipment		2		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		92		639	+ 594.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		92		639	+ 594.6

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Special Transactions, Trade	953	1,280	+ 34.3
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	226	139	- 38.5
Furniture & Fixtures	11	6	- 45.5
Watches, Clocks, Jewellery & Silverware	1	2	+ 100.0
Other Printed Matter	6	1	- 83.3
Television, Radios & Phonographs	-	1	-
Crude Petroleum	92,724	-	- 100.0
Sporting & Recreation Equipment	64	-	- 100.0
Compressors, Blowers & Vacuum Parts	12	-	- 100.0
Telephone & Telegraph Equipment	11	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	94,008	1,429	- 98.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	94,044	1,429	- 98.5

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	203	57	9	92	639	+ 33.2
CANADA	2,451,653	2,272,500	731,331	94,044	1,429	- 84.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SENEGAL

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined		-	109,737 ton	12,799	-
Books & Phamplets		-		6	-
Contractors Equipment and Tools		15		-	- 100.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		2		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		17		12,805	**
TOTAL (all commodities)		17		12,805	**

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	-	12,799	-
Wheat	2,349	1,995	- 15.1
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	764	1,422	+ 86.1
Fish, Canned	754	712	- 5.6
Construction Machinery & Equipment	63	500	+ 693.7
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	8,684	399	- 95.4
Containers & Closures	3	380	**
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	495	330	- 33.3
Tractors	23	227	+ 887.0
Special Transactions, Trade	896	187	- 79.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	14,031	18,951	+ 35.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	19,259	19,669	+ 2.1

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	272	13	17	12,805	+ 261.1
CANADA	8,140	13,782	11,673	19,259	19,669	+ 24.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SENEGAL

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Magnetic Tape		25		-	+ 100.0
Goods Returned Within Five Years		6		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		31		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		31		-	- 100.0

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,255	223	- 82.2
Other Measuring, Laboratory Equipment, Etc.	-	15	-
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	25	-	- 100.0
Oil Seed Cake & Meal	5	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	1,285	238	- 81.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,285	238	- 81.5

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	15	31	-	-
CANADA	1,586	1,786	47	1,285	238	- 37.8

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SINGAPORE

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	423,711 cwt	3,650	103,443 cwt	896	- 75.5
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		12		811	**
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod. Machinery, Parts		1,234		690	- 44.1
Hydrocarbons & Their Derivatives		-	11,625 cwt	416	-
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		457		376	- 17.7
Contractors Equipment & Tools		44		302	+ 586.4
Indus. Chem. Specialties & Explosives	847 cwt	228	750 cwt	199	- 12.7
Rock Drill Bits		216		171	- 20.8
Printed Circuit Boards		-		108	-
Core Drills & Core Drill Bits & Parts		31		105	+ 238.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		5,872		4,074	- 30.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		7,146		4,441	- 37.9

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	13,182	27,827	+ 111.1
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	11,466	12,854	+ 12.1
Newsprint Paper	6,882	9,064	+ 31.7
Oils, Fats, Waxes, Extracts & Derivatives	255	7,143	**
Other Oil Seeds, Oil Nuts & Oil Kernels	5,582	7,027	+ 25.9
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	5,021	5,993	+ 19.4
Zinc, Including Alloys	5,096	5,105	+ 0.2
Barley	-	4,628	-
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	7,490	4,058	- 45.8
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	3,391	3,966	+ 17.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	58,365	87,665	+ 50.2
TOTAL (all commodities)	126,735	143,010	+ 12.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	4,792	8,718	8,939	7,146	4,441	- 1.9
CANADA	198,161	145,661	150,112	126,735	143,010	- 7.8

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SINGAPORE

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Rock Drill Bits, Rotary Type			-281	569	-
Furniture, Wooden, Household, Not Uphostered		43		256	+ 495.3
Goods Returned Within Five Years		152		212	+ 39.5
Rubber Belts & Belting, V-Type		360		202	- 43.9
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Equipment & Parts		-		105	-
Furniture, Household, Uphostered		18		79	+ 338.9
Furniture, Frames & Finished Parts		-		62	-
Well Drilling Machinery Apparatus & Parts		4		46	**
Sugar Prep. & Confectionery		-	14,927 lb	32	-
Magnetic Tape		21		30	+ 42.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		598		1,593	+ 166.4
TOTAL (all commodities)		766		1,743	+ 127.5

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Rubber, Allied Gums, Natural	43,068	50,788	+ 17.9
Television, Radios & Phonographs	21,342	29,612	+ 38.7
Air Conditioning & Refrigeration Equipment	24,999	20,437	- 18.2
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	6,076	17,827	+ 193.4
Outerwear, Except Knitted	6,040	9,255	+ 53.2
Organic Chemicals	2,118	9,057	+ 327.6
Tin, Including Alloys	4,068	7,960	+ 95.7
Miscellaneous Equipment & Tools	6,690	7,776	+ 16.2
Other Office Machines & Equipment	5,102	5,902	+ 15.7
Outerwear, Knitted	4,376	5,894	+ 34.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	123,879	164,508	+ 32.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	168,458	214,273	+ 27.2

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,155	801	2,713	766	1,743	+ 10.8
CANADA	149,684	174,629	163,562	168,458	214,273	+ 9.4

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SOUTH AFRICA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	184,146 ton	17,200	356,564 ton	38,500	+ 123.8
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		-		2,494	-
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Material	14,402 cwt	5,165	2,377 cwt	879	- 83.0
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		166		169	+ 1.8
Contractors Equipment & Tools		202		87	- 56.9
Agricultural Machinery & Equipment		-		79	-
Parts for Construction Machinery Equipment		-		22	-
Metal Fabricated Basic Products		-		19	-
Peas, Seed		-	38,581 lb	13	-
Abrasive Basic Products		-		10	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		22,733		42,272	+ 85.9
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		23,621		42,339	+ 79.2
Barley		-		221	-
Canola		5		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		23,626		42,560	+ 80.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	38,079	64,205	+ 68.6
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	28,854	15,351	- 46.8
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	4,932	7,947	+ 61.1
Office Machines & Equipment	5,020	6,979	+ 39.0
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	6,142	6,834	+ 11.3
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	5,059	6,767	+ 33.8
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	904	5,857	+ 547.9
Other Paper	4,586	5,414	+ 18.1
Other Cereals, Milled	3,802	4,390	+ 15.5
Other Textile Fabricated Materials	1,944	4,260	+ 119.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	99,322	128,004	+ 28.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	165,764	201,830	+ 21.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	44,777	47,769	42,410	23,621	42,339	- 1.4
CANADA	201,935	239,300	213,787	165,764	201,830	- 0.0

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

SOUTH AFRICA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Collections & Collectors' Items		18		247	**
Brandy	21,985 p gal	248	19,783 p gal	236	- 4.8
Grape Wines, Still, Table Strength	29,501 gal	202	15,305 gal	96	- 52.5
Sherry	13,816 gal	74	11,854 gal	75	+ 1.4
Packing, Non Re-usable		71		54	- 23.9
Gem Diamonds, Cut But Unset	12 carat	10	30 carat	41	+ 310.0
Well Drilling Machinery Apparatus & Parts		-		26	-
Apples & Crab Apples, Fresh		-	80,942 lb	23	-
Wire, Iron or Steel		-	22 ton	18	-
Gym. Exercise & Health Studio Equipment		-		11	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		623		827	+ 32.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,337		840	- 37.2

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	59,625	46,485	- 22.0
Raw Sugar	19,078	26,828	+ 40.6
Other Iron & Steel & Alloys	12,283	18,922	+ 54.1
Fruit & Products, Canned	8,638	12,191	+ 41.1
Other Fresh Fruit & Berries	7,011	9,071	+ 29.4
Inorganic Chemicals	3,860	8,868	+ 129.7
Wool & Fine Animal Hair	8,053	8,818	+ 9.5
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,486	8,282	+ 457.3
Aluminum, Including Alloys	956	8,169	+ 754.5
Fruit, Dried or Dehydrated	3,708	5,764	+ 55.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	124,698	153,398	+ 23.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	194,143	222,155	+ 14.4

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,611	3,250	3,057	1,337	840	- 30.6
CANADA	354,545	402,867	218,718	194,143	222,155	- 11.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SOUTH KOREA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Coal	371,396 ton	23,236	432,682 ton	28,966	+ 24.7
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	636,035 cwt	9,912	1,999,633 cwt	24,686	+ 149.1
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	199,184 ton	20,087	193,053 ton	21,473	+ 6.9
Hydrocarbons & Their Derivatives		-	176,108 cwt	5,524	-
Cattle Hides, Raw	17,759	710	80,102	4,329	+ 509.7
Man-Made Fibres	1,336,073 lb	1,882	1,979,873 lb	3,256	+ 73.0
Cattle, Purebred	2,012	1,817	617	611	- 66.4
Nickel & Nickel Alloy Scrap	412 cwt	79	2,082 cwt	581	+ 635.4
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	1,197 cwt	188	12,265 cwt	576	+ 206.4
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	6,710 cwt	288	5,233 cwt	211	- 26.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		58,199		90,213	+ 55.0
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		58,704		91,290	+ 55.5
Rye		-		5,752	-
Barley		-		537	-
Wheat		-		393	-
Flaxseed		22		16	- 27.3
TOTAL (all commodities)		58,726		97,988	+ 66.9

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Coal	160,619	211,837	+ 31.9
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	35,897	49,042	+ 36.6
Copper in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	41,128	46,930	+ 14.1
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	40,844	43,664	+ 6.9
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	30,114	41,710	+ 38.5
Sulphur	33,168	39,870	+ 20.2
Organic Chemicals	14,787	36,714	+ 148.3
Raw Hides & Skins	16,407	27,317	+ 66.5
Other Cereals, Unmilled	23,436	26,940	+ 15.0
Petroleum & Coal Products	45	18,340	**
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	396,445	542,364	+ 36.8
TOTAL (all commodities)	555,403	712,656	+ 28.3

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	39,925	39,279	61,513	55,704	91,290	+ 23.0
CANADA	505,795	444,828	483,986	555,403	712,656	+ 8.9

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

SOUTH KOREA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
TV Receiving Sets, Colour, Over 19"	5,360	1,272	7,105	1,803	+ 41.7
Bicycles	4,617	308	9,879	817	+ 165.3
TV Receiving Sets, Colour, Over 19"	4,910	940	4,200	794	- 15.5
Broad Coated Fabrics	666,167 lb	609	671,729 lb	648	+ 6.4
Shirts, Polyester-Cotton Blend, Exc.Knitted	17,328	109	48,179	473	+ 333.9
Wrenches & Parts		311		333	+ 7.1
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		-		281	-
Headwear	8,358 dz	83	28,082 dz	270	+ 225.3
Fans, Air Circulators, Elec. Port. & Parts	15,483	285	13,776	233	- 18.2
Radio Transmitting-Receiving Units	6,950	214	5,650	183	- 14.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		4,131		5,835	+ 41.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		7,056		9,020	+ 27.8

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Outerwear, Except Knitted	141,444	185,728	+ 31.3
Televisions, Radios & Phonographs	83,502	137,725	+ 64.9
Footwear	67,162	80,838	+ 20.4
Outerwear, Knitted	63,961	79,682	+ 24.6
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	38,251	50,018	+ 30.8
Ships, Boats & Parts, Except Engines	71,531	41,736	- 41.7
Other Personal & Household Goods	30,935	39,424	+ 27.4
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	22,620	30,125	+ 33.2
Games, Toys & Children's Vehicles	16,089	25,033	+ 55.6
Sporting & Recreation Equipment	17,168	22,940	+ 33.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	552,667	693,249	+ 25.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	791,405	1,152,369	+ 45.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,579	2,562	4,788	7,056	9,020	+ 54.6
CANADA	414,382	608,183	586,351	791,405	1,152,369	+ 29.1

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SRI LANKA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Man-Made Fibres		-	38,109 lb	52	-
Safety & Sanitation Equipment & Parts		-		18	-
Electronic Equipment Components		-		1	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		-		71	-
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		-		71	-
Wheat		8,590		6,731	- 21.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		8,590		6,802	- 20.8

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	36,900	27,350	- 25.9
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	5,121	3,908	- 23.7
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	1,180	2,846	+ 141.2
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	36	2,757	**
Newsprint Paper	-	1,848	-
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	133	541	+ 306.8
Zinc, Including Alloys	532	534	+ 0.4
Electric Lighting & Distribution Equipment	190	532	+ 180.0
Medical & Pharm. Products, In Dosage	374	471	+ 25.9
Hand Tools & Miscellaneous Cutlery	312	412	+ 32.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	44,778	41,199	- 8.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	52,911	44,587	- 15.7

EXPORT PERFORMANCE

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	36	-	71	+ 40.4
CANADA	25,233	33,418	16,562	52,911	44,587	+ 15.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SRI LANKA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Equipment & Parts		-		31	-
Outdoor Jackets		27	3,500	21	- 22.2
Magnetic Tape		-		9	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		28		61	+ 117.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		28		61	+ 117.9

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Tea	9,401	15,175	+ 61.4
Outerwear, Except Knitted	3,193	7,677	+ 140.4
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,566	3,541	+ 126.1
Outerwear, Knitted	115	1,620	**
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	596	1,051	+ 76.3
Rubber & Allied Gums, Natural	555	981	+ 76.8
Footwear	578	783	+ 35.5
Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery Tableware	228	569	+ 149.6
Other Foods & Materials for Foods	573	527	- 8.0
Nuts, Except Oil Nuts	236	451	+ 91.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	17,041	32,375	+ 90.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	21,669	33,850	+ 56.2

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	24	33	28	61	+ 36.5
CANADA	16,976	17,467	16,732	21,669	33,850	+ 18.8

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SWEDEN

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Nickel Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		3,401		1,966	-
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	1,819 cwt	276	3,738 cwt	554	+ 100.7
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	9,953 cwt	635	6,973 cwt	419	- 34.0
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		1		213	**
Vegetables, Dried	321,872 lb	130	241,404 lb	99	- 23.8
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		9		79	+ 777.8
Chemical Elements		-	1,302 cwt	48	-
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		3		43	**
Measuring & Controlling Instruments		-		23	-
Cattle, Purebred	5	28	1	7	- 75.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		4,483		3,451	- 23.0
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		4,582		3,488	- 23.9
Flaxseed		13		12	- 7.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		4,595		3,500	- 23.8

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Copper & Alloys	12,229	22,197	+ 81.5
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	8,128	19,882	+ 144.6
Coal	14,999	19,172	+ 27.8
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	9,887	11,720	+ 18.5
Other Telecommunications & Related Equipment	6,920	9,129	+ 31.9
Other Inorganic Chemicals	2,756	8,649	+ 213.8
Fish, Whole or Dressed, Fresh or Frozen	9,730	7,532	- 22.6
Office Machines & Equipment	5,314	6,102	+ 14.8
Other Fishery Foods & Feeds	6,645	4,515	- 32.1
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	1,587	3,491	+ 120.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	78,195	112,389	+ 43.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	146,609	165,290	+ 12.7

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,606	1,510	12,011	4,582	3,488	- 0.8
CANADA	269,424	223,288	192,537	146,609	165,290	- 11.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

SWEDEN

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Chain Saws, Woodworking, Gasoline	4,247	913	6,049	1,315	+ 44.0
Furniture, Wooden, Household, Not Upholsterd		671		1,040	+ 55.0
Furniture, Frames & Finished Parts		480		747	+ 55.6
Furniture, Household, Upholstered		176		411	+ 133.5
Converted Paper	2,250 cwt	218	2,907 cwt	393	+ 80.3
Pipes CS, Smls Hot Finished, New	51 ton	40	594 ton	359	+ 797.5
Jacks & Parts, Exc Auto & Hand Type	2,241	118	3,332	294	+ 149.2
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicle		2		273	**
Rolls, Bending Machine, Metalwork Parts		-		244	-
Cranes & Derricks	28	236	33	220	- 6.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,854		5,296	+ 85.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		9,891		10,665	+ 7.8

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	61,885	86,405	+ 39.6
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	18,918	34,224	+ 80.9
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	18,498	29,962	+ 62.0
Other Special Industry Machinery	17,926	27,932	+ 55.8
Paper & Paperboard	19,313	18,728	+ 34.7
Drilling Machinery & Drill Bits	13,908	18,728	+ 34.7
Furniture & Fixtures	13,116	16,993	+ 29.6
Motor Vehicle Engines	11,197	14,055	+ 25.5
Other End Products, Inedible	4,533	13,439	+ 196.5
Other Iron & Steel & Alloys	1,821	9,984	+ 448.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	181,115	279,446	+ 54.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	415,759	581,521	+ 39.9

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	9,456	12,270	10,649	9,981	10,665	+ 3.1
CANADA	416,209	445,164	365,764	415,759	581,521	+ 8.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SWITZERLAND

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Horsemeat, Fresh or Frozen	9,328 cwt	1,788	10,837	1,755	- 1.8
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	8,405 cwt	506	13,101	694	+ 37.2
Fancy Meats, Bovine, Fresh or Frozen	2,757 cwt	308	1,487 cwt	136	- 55.8
Furniture & Fixtures		-		63	-
Chemical Elements	370 cwt	16	1,111 cwt	49	+ 206.3
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Mach, Pts		-		34	-
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Pts		-		28	-
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivitives		-	14 cwt	25	-
Biological Prod, Human Use, Dosage		-		22	-
Grass Seed, Creeping Red Fescue	114,275 lb	70	40,014 lb	20	- 71.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		2,688		2,826	+ 5.1
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		2,883		2,903	+ 0.7
Oats		-		127	-
Flaxseed		317		68	- 78.5
Wheat		408		36	- 91.2
Barley		-		8	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		3,608		3,142	- 12.9

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other End Products	23,749	30,435	+ 28.2
Fur Skins, Undressed	24,896	26,392	+ 6.0
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	11,639	16,183	+ 39.0
Aircraft Engines & Parts	20,317	14,083	- 30.7
Apparel & Apparel Accessories	10,775	11,040	+ 2.5
Office Machines & Equipment	6,245	11,026	+ 76.7
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	4,451	6,775	+ 52.2
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	1,484	6,712	+ 352.3
Precious Metals in Ores, Conc. & Scrap	7,419	6,152	- 17.1
Fish, Fillets & Blocks, Fresh or Frozen	2,037	3,474	+ 70.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	113,012	132,272	+ 17.0
TOTAL (all commodities)	197,805	189,482	- 4.2

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,614	2,975	3,581	2,883	2,903	- 5.3
CANADA	372,729	213,172	218,911	197,805	189,482	- 15.6

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

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IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Wire Metal Ribbon Forming Machine & Parts		-		197	-
Air & Gas Compressor Parts & Accessories		202		191	- 5.4
Switches & Parts		-		175	-
Switchgear & Protect Equipment & Parts		-		160	-
Laboratory Instr & Appar & Parts		112		111	- 0.9
Books & Pamphlets		62		101	+ 62.9
Aluminum & Alloy Fabricated Material		-		88	-
Gasoline Engines	24	29	68	83	+ 186.2
Abrasive Paper & Cloth		2		78	**
Woodworking Machinery, Equipment & Parts		63		77	+ 22.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		470		1,261	+ 168.3
TOTAL (all commodities)		4,384		2,889	- 34.1

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Organic Chemicals	100,388	50,867	- 49.3
Medical & Pharm. Products, In Dosage	24,374	37,070	+ 52.1
Other Measuring, Laboratory Equipment, Etc.	12,715	14,040	+ 10.4
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	11,962	13,120	+ 9.7
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	33,148	12,754	- 61.5
Watches, Clocks, Jewellery & Silverware	9,437	12,734	+ 34.9
Other Electric Lighting Distribution Equipment	8,148	9,721	+ 19.3
Other Special Transactions, Trade	5,075	9,343	+ 84.1
Switchgear & Protective Equipment	11,429	8,547	- 25.2
Other Food Products, Inedible	12,747	8,124	- 36.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	229,423	176,320	- 23.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	407,973	378,298	- 7.3

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	4,072	1,860	5,530	4,384	2,889	- 8.2
CANADA	521,900	424,013	429,558	407,973	378,298	- 7.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

SYRIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Aircraft Assemblies, Equipment & Parts		-		17	-
Air Conditioning & Refrig Equipment & Parts		2		8	+ 300.0
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Machine & Parts		3		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		5		26	+ 420.0
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		5		26	+ 420.0
Wheat		16,631		16,866	+ 1.4
Barley		-		6,747	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		16,636		23,639	+ 42.1

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	17,441	68,535	- 4.1
Barley	-	15,103	-
Other Cereals, Milled	-	6,422	-
Other Foods & Materials For Foods	144	5,282	**
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	-	2,748	-
Dairy Produce, Eggs & Honey	1,666	1,903	+ 14.2
Other Iron & Steel & Alloys	4,595	1,210	- 73.7
Woodworking Machinery & Equipment	64	99	- 54.7
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	7	98	**
Live Animals	-	97	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	77,917	101,517	+ 30.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	79,009	102,012	+ 29.1

EXPORT PERFORMANCE

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1	-	-	5	26	+ 125.8
CANADA	20,873	5,637	3,250	79,009	102,012	+ 48.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

SYRIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Foods & Materials For Foods	24	70	+ 191.7
Fruits, Dried or Dehydrated	15	43	+ 186.7
Other Fruits & Fruit Preparations	-	34	-
Other Personal & Household Goods	1	7	+ 600.0
Fruits & Products, Canned	-	7	-
Other End Products, Inedible	2	4	+ 100.0
Machine Tools, Metalworking	-	3	-
Electric Lighting Fixtures & Portable Lamps	-	3	-
Sugar Preparations & Confectionery	2	2	+ 0.0
Containers & Closures	-	2	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	44	175	+ 297.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	50,201	179	- 99.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	-	-	-	-
CANADA	2,543	130	217	50,201	179	- 48.5

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

TAIWAN

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Acyclic Hydrocarbons & Derivatives	2,213,620 cwt	24,175	2,647,831 cwt	33,966	+ 40.5
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	95,400 ton	9,797	185,108 ton	21,460	+ 119.0
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	1,754,902 cwt	17,236	1,171,813 cwt	11,873	- 31.1
Man-Made Fibres	6,745,174 lb	9,014	7,612,136 lb	9,937	+ 10.2
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	16,627 cwt	983	42,386 cwt	1,392	+ 41.6
Polyethylene Resins	485 cwt	23	23,614 cwt	859	**
Cattle Hides, Raw	27,881	1,171	13,184	640	- 45.3
Inorganic Bases & Metallic Oxides	42,463 cwt	218	42,603 cwt	142	- 34.9
Sunflower Seed	2,765 cwt	65	3,963 cwt	126	+ 93.8
Chemical Elements	370 cwt	16	2,590 cwt	114	+ 612.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		62,698		80,509	+ 28.4
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		63,382		80,690	+ 27.3
Wheat		2,640		6,305	+ 138.8
Flaxseed		44		71	+ 61.4
Barley		1,648		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		67,714		87,066	+ 28.6

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Coal	39,233	54,611	+ 39.2
Organic Chemicals	47,709	52,187	+ 9.4
Raw Hides & Skins	23,943	33,725	+ 40.9
Sulphur	16,248	28,614	+ 76.1
Wheat	11,339	25,619	+ 125.9
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	19,509	24,457	+ 25.4
Nickel in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	1,472	22,419	**
Zinc, Including Alloys	13,822	14,757	+ 6.8
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	9,696	11,646	+ 20.1
Textile & Related Fibres	10,591	10,210	- 3.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	193,562	278,245	+ 43.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	340,991	400,560	+ 17.5

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	37,371	36,716	35,787	63,382	80,690	+ 21.2
CANADA	252,238	232,826	289,859	340,991	400,560	+ 12.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

TAIWAN

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA

	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Furniture, Wooden, Household, Not Upholstered		1,509		1,885	+ 24.9
Cameras, Still Picture	4,381	274	7,538	823	+ 200.4
Tennis & Badminton Equipment & Parts		618		793	+ 28.3
Furniture, Household, Upholstered		478		544	+ 13.8
Valves, Iron & Steel		769		523	- 32.0
Athletic Footwear	37,350 pair	348	26,974 pair	288	- 17.2
Electronic Computers & Parts		395		278	- 29.6
Toys & Parts		111		220	+ 98.2
Wrenches & Parts		362		208	- 42.5
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		13		204	**
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		4,877		5,766	+ 18.2
TOTAL (all commodities)		11,619		12,725	+ 9.5

IMPORTS INTO CANADA

	1983	1984	% Change
Outerwear, Knitted	120,995	131,413	+ 8.6
Footwear	97,117	109,579	+ 12.8
Outerwear, Except Knitted	60,926	89,461	+ 46.8
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	55,323	63,593	+ 14.9
Other Personal & Household Goods	41,034	61,939	+ 50.9
Televisions, Radios, & Phonographs	33,081	57,969	+ 75.2
Games, Toys & Children's Vehicles	32,071	53,790	+ 67.7
Other End Products, Inedible	34,080	47,633	+ 39.8
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	36,375	42,531	+ 16.9
Furniture & Fixtures	31,239	42,236	+ 35.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	542,241	700,144	+ 29.1
TOTAL (all commodities)	925,496	1,223,805	+ 32.2

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,385	4,550	6,546	11,619	12,725	+ 39.2
CANADA	557,635	729,194	661,268	925,496	1,223,805	+ 21.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

THAILAND

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Man-Made Fibres	2,665,203 lb	3,849	3,126,909 lb	4,446	+ 15.5
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	76,545 cwt	929	22,050 cwt	418	- 55.0
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	1,488 cwt	39	1,759 cwt	194	+ 397.4
Polyethylene Resins	794 cwt	36	1,953 cwt	83	+ 130.6
Milk Powder, Skim Milk		-	488 cwt	61	-
Parts & Accessories Agricultural Machinery		-		25	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Mach, Parts		-		17	-
Gem & Ornamental Stones		-		17	-
Miscellaneous Apparel		-		10	-
Electronic Equipment Components		3		8	+ 166.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		4,856		5,279	+ 8.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		4,955		5,292	+ 6.8

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	15,270	21,065	+ 38.0
Aluminum, Including Alloys	28,858	15,723	- 45.5
Textile & Related Fibres	5,247	11,207	+ 113.6
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	3,642	10,508	+ 188.5
Zinc, Including Alloys	4,267	9,457	+ 121.6
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	3,749	7,929	+ 111.5
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	8,170	4,288	- 47.5
Newsprint Paper	3,513	4,051	+ 15.3
Other Foods & Materials For Foods	3,139	3,527	+ 12.4
Hand Tools & Miscellaneous Cutlery	2,287	3,150	+ 37.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	78,142	90,905	+ 16.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	145,592	116,848	- 19.7

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	3,919	6,865	2,335	4,955	5,292	+ 7.8
CANADA	141,602	116,005	143,805	145,592	116,848	- 4.7

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

THAILAND

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Rice, Cleaned	777 cwt	23	3,303 cwt	81	+ 252.2
Pineapple, Canned	103,500 lb	36	167,957 lb	64	+ 77.8
Gloves, Work & Special Purpose		-	5,500 dz pr	49	-
Gem & Ornamental Stones		108		48	- 55.6
Miscellaneous End Products		-		38	-
Furniture, Household, Upholstered		-		36	-
Jewellery/Findings, Precious Metals		27		21	- 22.2
Magnetic Tape		-		16	-
Macaroni Products		-	10,600 lb	12	-
Tableware		10		12	+ 20.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		204		377	+ 84.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		286		480	+ 67.8

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fish & Marine Animals	16,067	27,083	+ 68.6
Outerwear, Knitted	3,465	14,607	+ 321.6
Fruits & Products, Canned	6,726	10,363	+ 54.1
Outerwear, Except Knitted	6,310	9,646	+ 52.9
Broad Woven Fabrics, Mixed Fibres	3,785	7,812	+ 106.4
Other Cereals & Cereal Preparations	3,012	4,069	+ 35.1
Other Apparel & Apparel Accessories	1,100	3,941	+ 258.3
Furniture & Fixtures	2,550	2,766	+ 8.5
Other End Products, Inedible	2,061	2,674	+ 29.7
Other Special Transactions, Trade	2,036	2,556	+ 25.5
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	47,112	85,517	+ 81.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	60,554	103,384	+ 70.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	131	501	356	286	480	+ 38.4
CANADA	24,688	33,067	33,785	60,554	103,384	+ 43.1

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

TRINIDAD-TOBAGO

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Mach, Parts		176		352	+ 100.0
Earth Drilling & Rel Mach & Parts		22		328	**
Telephone Apparatus, Equipment & Parts		14		264	**
Fancy Meats, Bovine, Fresh or Frozen	1,819 cwt	113	1,006 cwt	56	- 50.4
Rock Drills & Parts		-		28	-
Valves		23		15	- 34.8
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		13	-
Lubricating Oils & Greases		-	1,520 gal	6	-
Indus Chem Specialties & Explosives	291 cwt	49	13 cwt	6	- 87.8
Measuring & Controlling Instruments		5		5	+ 0.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		402		1,073	+ 166.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		688		1,083	+ 57.4

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	28,146	24,877	- 11.6
Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	13,140	10,139	- 22.8
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	9,023	9,903	+ 9.8
Medical & Pharm Products, In Dosage	7,277	7,010	- 3.7
Fish, Preserved, Except Canned	5,633	5,897	+ 4.7
Lumber, Softwood	4,028	4,404	+ 9.3
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	5,722	4,310	- 24.7
Fish, Canned	2,389	4,305	+ 80.2
Newsprint Paper	5,764	3,724	- 35.4
Other Paper	3,113	3,511	+ 12.8
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	84,235	78,080	- 7.3
TOTAL (all commodities)	150,838	136,075	- 9.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	358	396	1,160	688	1,083	+ 31.9
CANADA	119,672	105,053	139,809	150,838	136,075	+ 3.3

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

TRINIDAD-TOBAGO

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Musical Instruments & Parts		-		18	-
Electronic Computers & Parts		-		5	-
Goods Returned Within Five Years		36		-	- 100.0
Artificial Teeth, Dentures & Parts		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		37		23	- 37.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		37		23	- 37.8

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fuel Oil	-	8,395	-
Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	2,973	3,726	+ 25.3
Fertilizers & Fertilizer Materials	-	2,389	-
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	1,209	1,395	+ 15.4
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,442	937	- 35.0
Bars & Rods, Steel	550	520	- 5.5
Miscellaneous Equipment & Tools	75	284	+ 287.7
Medical, Ophthalmic, Orthopaedic Supplies	684	270	- 60.5
Other Fresh Fruits & Berries	170	242	+ 42.4
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	488	190	- 61.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	7,591	18,348	+ 141.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	9,030	18,975	+ 110.1

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	22	35	11	37	23	+ 1.1
CANADA	11,246	75,402	18,019	9,030	18,975	+ 14.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

TUNISIA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	277,892 ton	31,559	317,585 ton	39,408	+ 24.9
Hard Spring Wheat Flour		-	67,197 cwt	1,181	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives		-	397 cwt	27	-
Contractors Equipment & Tools		203		-	- 100.0
Rapeseed Oil	3,229 cwt	126		-	- 100.0
Basic Hardware		5		-	- 100.0
Metal Fabricated Basic Products		3		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		31,896		40,616	+ 27.3
TOTAL (all commodities)		31,896		40,616	+ 27.3

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	38,261	39,408	+ 3.0
Railway & Street Railway Rolling Stock	896	26,596	**
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	-	3,926	-
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	292	1,536	+ 427.1
Other Paper	-	1,339	-
Construction Machinery & Equipment	903	627	- 30.6
Other Motor Vehicles	57	582	+ 921.1
Heating & Refrigeration Equipment	86	470	+ 446.5
Asbestos, Unmanufactured	231	312	+ 35.1
Tractors	1,489	284	- 80.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	42,215	75,080	+ 77.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	46,751	76,464	+ 63.6

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	32,136	44,051	36,618	31,896	40,616	+ 6.0
CANADA	58,563	73,551	73,521	46,751	76,464	+ 6.9

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

TUNISIA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		1,086		-	- 100.0
Oriental Rugs, Genuine	7 sq yd	1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		1,087		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		1,087		-	- 100.0

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	-	23,477	-
Outerwear, Except Knitted	251	167	- 33.5
Medical, Ophthalmic, Orthopaedic Supplies	31	58	+ 87.1
Other Special Transactions, Trade	1,134	39	- 96.6
Other Foods & Materials For Foods	-	18	-
House Furnishings	12	12	+ 0.0
Other End Products, Inedible	112	-	- 100.0
Other Vegetables & Vegetable Preparations	6	-	- 100.0
Fish & Marine Animals	1	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	1,549	23,771	**
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,549	23,771	**

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	4	1	4	1,087	-	-
CANADA	282	1,436	392	1,549	23,771	+ 203.0

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

U.S.S.R.

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Motor Vehicles		-	45	19,528	-
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	166,717 ton	17,160	174,888	19,476	+ 13.5
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles		2,931		6,572	+ 124.2
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Mach, Parts		4,840		2,361	- 51.2
Cattle Hides, Raw	87,531	3,121	31,544	1,680	- 46.2
Construction Machinery & Equipment		-		1,294	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	11,025 cwt	543	4,366 cwt	251	- 53.8
Miscellaneous Apparel		20		126	+ 530.0
Outerwear, Except Knitted	75	30	1,334	57	+ 90.0
Air & Gas Compressor Parts		32		50	+ 56.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		28,677		51,395	+ 79.2
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		49,253		51,570	+ 4.7
Wheat		341,379		472,225	+ 38.3
Barley		62,126		20,231	- 67.4
Canola		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (all commodities)		452,759		544,026	+ 20.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wheat	1,466,403	1,918,833	+ 30.9
Barley	133,949	45,291	- 66.2
Other Cereals, Unmilled	21,527	39,790	+ 84.8
Other Motor Vehicle	2,889	24,316	+ 741.7
Sulphur	21,890	21,666	- 1.0
Textile & Related Fibres	7,389	9,381	+ 27.0
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	7,120	8,395	+ 17.9
Raw Hides & Skins	14,483	8,331	- 42.5
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	15,099	8,266	- 45.3
Other Special Industries Machinery	1,608	5,006	+ 211.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	1,692,357	2,089,275	+ 23.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,760,824	2,122,285	+ 20.5

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	7,352	13,277	35,721	49,253	51,570	+ 62.7
CANADA	1,534,861	1,866,220	2,068,651	1,760,824	2,122,285	+ 8.4

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

U.S.S.R.

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Distilled Beverages & Spirits	35,690 p gal	355	18,930 p gal	216	- 39.2
Packing, Non Re-Useable		50		26	- 48.0
Goods Returned Within Five Years		1		11	**
Brandy	370 p gal	9	74 p gal	2	- 77.8
Grape Wines, Sparkling		-	106 gal	2	-
Well Drilling Machinery Apparatus & Parts		289		-	- 100.0
Books Published By Foreign Government UN & NATO		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		704		257	- 63.5
TOTAL (all commodities)		704		257	- 63.5

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fish & Marine Animals	-	5,185	-
Aluminum Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	-	3,039	-
Wheel Tractors, New	205	1,471	+ 617.6
Fur Skins, Undressed	1,007	1,444	+ 43.4
Machine Tools, Metalworking	3,149	1,174	- 62.7
Plywood & Wood Building Boards	1,023	1,148	+ 12.2
Organic Chemicals	-	994	-
Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	1,182	887	- 25.0
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	425	608	+ 43.1
Abrasives, Natural	336	576	+ 71.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	7,327	16,526	+ 125.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	33,252	28,735	- 13.6

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	199	774	256	704	257	+ 6.6
CANADA	59,482	77,669	41,849	33,252	28,735	- 16.6

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined		-	27,872 ton	4,332	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Mach, Parts		70		552	+ 688.6
Earth Drilling & Related Machinery & Parts		507		523	+ 3.2
Measuring & Controlling Instruments		12		93	+ 675.0
Rock Drill Bits		-		56	-
Pipe Fittings		-	9 cwt	30	-
Electricity-Measuring Instruments & Parts		-		24	-
Contractors Equipment & Tools		-		13	-
Generator Parts & Accessories		40		11	- 72.5
Commercial Telecommunication Equipment		-		10	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		629		5,644	+ 797.3
TOTAL (all commodities)		849		5,671	+ 568.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	-	4,332	-
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	1,931	3,852	+ 99.5
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	6,708	2,349	- 65.0
Drilling , Excavating, Mining Machinery	722	1,964	+ 172.0
Other Personal & Household Goods	545	1,484	+ 172.3
Navigation Equipment & Parts	191	1,244	+ 551.3
Trucks, Truck Tractors & Chassis	1,523	1,175	- 22.8
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	2,190	1,022	- 53.3
Metal Fabricated Basic Products	632	787	+ 24.5
Other Fabricated Materials, Inedible	336	777	+ 131.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	14,778	18,986	+ 28.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	31,001	23,596	- 23.9

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	1,360	2,243	3,591	849	5,671	+ 42.9
CANADA	44,472	49,104	47,441	31,001	23,596	- 14.7

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

UNITED ARAB EMIRATES

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Goods Returned Within Five Years		-		17	-
Well Drilling Machinery, Apparatus & Parts		-		11	-
Shipments of Less Than $800.00 Each *		-		1	-
Aircraft Assemblies, Equipment & Parts		10		-	- 100.0
Geophysical Mineral Prospecting Equipment & Parts		5		-	- 100.0
Books & Pamphlets Except English		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		16		29	+ 81.3
TOTAL (all commodities)		16		29	+ 81.3

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Aluminum, Including Alloys	1,927	5,842	+ 203.2
Other Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	167	277	+ 65.9
Aircraft Engines & Parts	5	137	**
Other Special Transactions, Trade	243	104	- 57.2
Other Measuring, Laboratory Equipment, Etc.	5	90	**
Aircraft Parts, Except Engines	80	43	- 46.3
Scrap Iron & Steel	-	23	-
Aluminum Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	-	14	-
Drilling Machinery & Drill Bits	-	11	-
Broad Woven Fabrics, Man-Made	-	9	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	2,427	6,550	+ 169.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	2,432	6,554	+ 169.5

IMPORT TRENDS

	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	163	215	28	16	29	- 35.1
CANADA	62,163	63,720	34,266	2,432	6,554	- 43.0

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

UNITED KINGDOM

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Radioactive Ores & Concentrates		-		4,972	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Mach, Parts		878		3,932	+ 347.8
Earth Drilling & Rel Mach & Parts		1,708		2,153	+ 26.1
Fancy Meats, Bovine Fresh or Frozen	32,362 cwt	1,911	29,335	1,978	+ 3.5
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	32,225 cwt	1,640	24,618	1,197	- 27.0
Pumps & Pumping Systems		-		948	-
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel		-	331 ton	629	-
Card Punch Sort Tab Computers & Parts		173		622	+ 259.5
Disc Harrows & Parts	36	234	71	532	+ 127.4
Peas, Seed	874,153 lb	3,877	2,534,968 lb	526	- 86.4
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		10,421		17,489	+ 67.8
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		21,160		22,842	+ 7.9
Wheat		55,126		42,972	- 22.0
Canola		16		823	**
Flaxseed		857		187	- 78.2
Oats		-		177	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		77,159		67,001	- 13.2

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	114,262	214,314	+ 87.6
Newsprint Paper	274,115	208,743	- 23.8
Nickel in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	117,062	192,160	+ 64.2
Wheat	236,797	174,610	- 26.3
Lumber, Softwood	178,717	171,705	- 3.9
Precious Metals in Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	95,152	132,271	+ 39.0
Iron Ores & Concentrates	226,609	129,839	- 42.7
Other Telecommuncation & Related Equipment	60,149	90,019	+ 49.7
Copper & Alloys	94,104	74,374	- 21.0
Chemical Elements	56,682	63,002	+ 11.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	1,453,649	1,451,037	- 0.2
TOTAL (all commodities)	2,445,376	2,443,424	- 0.1

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	24,232	43,176	26,235	21,160	22,842	- 1.5
CANADA	3,191,724	3,306,234	2,669,538	2,445,376	2,443,424	- 6.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

UNITED KINGDOM

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Whiskey	154,755 p gal	3,599	204,833 p gal	4,776	+ 32.7
Shipments of Less Than $800.00 Each *		1,527		3,405	+ 123.0
Herbicides	17,500 cwt	3,833	13,334 cwt	2,923	- 23.7
Oxygen Function Acids & Derivatives	10,336 cwt	1,515	17,365 cwt	1,909	+ 26.0
Geophysical, Mineral Prosp Equipment & Parts		772		1,564	+ 102.6
Valves, Iron & Steel		1,624		1,559	- 4.0
Well Drilling Machinery, Apparatus & Parts		178		1,458	+ 719.1
Heterocyclic Compounds	3,416 cwt	535	9,654 cwt	1,386	+ 159.1
Goods Returned Within 5 Years		316		1,371	+ 333.9
Tea, Black, In Tea Bags/Cup Size	317,240 lb	890	381,316 lb	1,338	+ 50.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		14,789		21,689	+ 46.7
TOTAL (all commodities)		44,544		55,197	+ 23.9

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	200,012	486,982	+ 143.5
Other Special Transactions, Trade	45,508	63,205	+ 38.9
Organic Chemicals	64,872	62,393	- 3.8
Distilled Alcoholic Beverages	49,338	57,435	+ 16.4
Other End Products, Inedible	58,095	53,461	- 8.0
Engines & Turbines, General Purpose	43,360	52,077	+ 20.1
Kitchen Utensils, Cutlery Tableware	45,283	45,774	+ 1.1
Medical & Pharm. Products, In Dosage	53,015	40,845	- 23.0
Other Chemical Products	33,924	37,812	+ 11.5
Plate, Sheet & Strip, Steel	15,464	37,206	+ 140.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	608,871	937,190	+ 53.9
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,809,753	2,318,583	+ 28.1

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	81,864	76,926	75,953	44,544	55,197	- 9.4
CANADA	1,974,280	2,376,588	1,903,948	1,809,753	2,318,582	+ 4.1

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500 each

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

UNITED STATES

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Natural Gas	648,265,734 mcf	3,614,186	658,480,655 mcf	3,432,895	- 5.0
Crude Petroleum	66,882,268 bbl	2,212,601	89,566,688 bbl	3,019,486	+ 36.5
Propane Gas, Liquified	403,591,906 gal	253,353	609,766,184 gal	359,057	+ 41.7
Butane Gas, Liquified	362,022,947 gal	315,910	431,646,965 gal	329,001	+ 4.1
Wood Pulp Bl.Kraft Paper Gr.Soft	8,997,030 cwtad	192,582	10,230,655 cwtad	257,004	+ 33.5
Petroleum & Coal Products	622,121,001 gal	241,774	590,342,866 gal	243,783	+ 0.8
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	1,108,059 ton	67,409	1,850,005 ton	126,891	+ 88.2
Ammonia Anhydrous	11,569,976 cwt	93,107	14,668,656 cwt	106,735	+ 14.6
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	6,468,178 cwt	54,670	11,173,524 cwt	105,668	+ 93.3
Lumber, Spruce Pine Fir (S-P-F)	428,557 MBF	89,428	479,958 MBF	96,808	+ 8.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		7,135,020		8,098,367	+ 13.5
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		8,088,547		9,334,241	+ 15.4
Barley		10,900		10,601	- 2.7
Oats		-		6,736	-
Wheat		1,791		5,210	+ 190.9
Flaxseed		2,308		1,756	- 23.9
Rye		-		303	-
Canola		213		156	- 26.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		8,103,759		9,359,003	+ 15.5

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	9,474,192	13,670,248	+ 44.3
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	5,376,309	7,399,615	+ 37.6
Trucks, Truck Tractors & Chassis	4,125,446	5,316,377	+ 28.9
Crude Petroleum	3,411,944	4,374,251	+ 28.2
Newsprint Paper	3,234,761	4,055,778	+ 25.4
Natural Gas	3,847,490	3,886,424	+ 1.0
Lumber, Softwood	2,983,994	3,271,129	+ 9.6
Petroleum, Coal Products	2,708,826	3,022,925	+ 11.6
Motor Vehicle Engines & Parts	1,505,912	2,085,181	+ 38.5
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	1,608,874	2,062,393	+ 28.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	38,277,748	49,144,321	+ 28.4
TOTAL (all commodities)	64,206,317	82,796,262	+ 29.0

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	7,134,021	8,340,632	8,248,864	8,088,547	9,334,241	+ 7.0
CANADA	46,940,871	53,899,776	55,847,454	64,206,317	82,796,262	+ 15.2

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

UNITED STATES

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Aircraft	43	294,317	34	385,983	+ 31.1
Geophysical Mineral Prosp. Equipment & Parts		84,237		111,301	+ 32.1
Well Drilling Machinery Appratus & Parts		90,458		110,308	+ 21.9
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment & Parts		79,605		108,256	+ 36.0
Electronic Computers & Parts		106,060		91,838	- 13.4
Petrol & Gas Field Prod. Equipment & Parts		53,630		72,500	+ 35.2
Rock Drill Bits, Rotary Type	28,424	59,009	43,276	64,941	+ 10.1
Goods Returned Within Five Years		45,990		58,446	+ 27.1
Shipments of Less Than $800 Each *		27,452		56,064	+ 104.2
Off-Highway Trucks	40	22,392	58	33,073	+ 47.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		863,150		1,092,710	+ 26.6
TOTAL (all commodities)		2,667,360		2,915,498	+ 9.3

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	8,962,589	12,444,802	+ 38.9
Passenger Automobiles & Chassis	4,886,538	6,085,187	+ 24.5
Electronic Computers	2,622,179	3,888,239	+ 48.3
Trucks, Truck Tractors & Chassis	965,730	1,829,041	+ 89.4
Motor Vehicle Engines	1,275,036	1,281,177	+ 0.5
Electronic Tubes & Semi-Conductors	774,795	1,259,347	+ 62.5
Other Special Transactions, Trade	728,113	1,153,312	+ 58.4
Coal	841,008	1,093,519	+ 30.0
Precious Metals, Including Alloys	1,036,267	1,015,471	- 2.0
Other Telecommunication & Related Equipment	822,897	1,004,863	+ 22.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	22,915,152	31,054,958	+ 35.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	54,077,365	68,537,369	+ 26.7

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	2,870,965	2,845,410	2,462,759	2,667,360	2,915,498	+ 0.4
CANADA	48,613,642	54,350,280	47,865,936	54,077,365	68,537,369	+ 9.0

* In 1983, this category was defined as "shipments of less than $500. each".

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

VENEZUELA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Earth Drilling & Rel Mach & Parts		1		3,987	**
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	49,104 cwt	4,735	27,552 cwt	2,734	- 42.3
Motor Vehicles	3	1,587	1	520	- 67.2
Insulated Wire & Cable		-	1,820 cwt	433	-
Petrol, Coal, Gas Prod Mach, Parts		518		406	- 21.6
Parts & Access for Motor Vehicles		375		373	- 0.5
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	455 cwt	32	2,778 cwt	184	+ 475.0
Wire Rope & Multiple Wire Strand		-	34 ton	161	-
Refractories		-		106	-
Inorganic Bases & Metallic Oxides		-	4,696	106	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		7,248		9,010	+ 24.3
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		10,659		9,256	- 13.2
Wheat		2		6,276	-
Canola		3		22	+ 633.3
Flaxseed		1		8	+ 700.0
Barley		-		5	-
Oats		-		3	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		10,665		15,570	+ 46.0

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Newsprint Paper	55,709	53,445	- 4.1
Motor Vehicle Parts, Except Engines	44,902	30,862	- 31.3
Wood Pulp & Similar Pulp	13,032	27,583	+ 111.7
Wheat	8	25,504	**
Vegetables & Vegatable Preparations	13,988	18,214	+ 30.2
Motor Vehicle Engines & Parts	11,654	11,362	- 2.5
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	8,598	6,732	- 21.7
Zinc, Including Alloys	2,960	6,593	+ 122.7
Copper & Alloys	3,748	5,990	+ 59.8
Other Cereals Milled	9,685	5,460	- 43.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	164,284	191,745	+ 16.7
TOTAL (all commodities)	231,044	247,857	+ 7.3

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	8,850	11,917	27,970	10,659	9,256	+ 1.1
CANADA	656,121	545,151	423,835	231,044	247,857	- 21.6

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

VENEZUELA

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Rock Drill Bits, Rotary Type		57	230	802	**
Well Casing, New		-	235 ton	176	-
Goods Returned Within Five Years		67		-	- 100.0
Sculptures & Statues, Original	2	2		-	- 100.0
Books & Pamphlets		1		-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		127		979	+ 670.9
TOTAL (all commodities)		127		979	+ 670.9

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Crude Petroleum	826,447	865,518	+ 4.7
Fuel Oil	148,551	300,945	+ 102.6
Other Petroleum & Coal Products	23,537	26,845	+ 14.1
Aluminum Ores, Concentrates & Scrap	-	4,671	-
Aluminum, Including Alloys	21	1,894	**
Fish & Marine Animals	205	1,505	+ 634.1
Bars & Rods, Steel	1,614	1,485	- 8.0
Coffee	161	1,332	+ 727.3
Drilling Machinery & Drill Bits	57	802	**
Cocoa & Chocolate	-	702	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	1,000,593	1,205,699	+ 20.5
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,004,453	1,207,226	+ 20.2

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	13	-	62	127	979	+ 194.6
CANADA	1,216,800	2,385,800	1,805,016	1,004,453	1,207,226	- 0.2

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

VIETNAM

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined		-	9,916 ton	1,385	-
Hard Spring Wheat Flour		-	4,409 cwt	73	-
Medical & Pharm Prod, In Dosage		-		2	-
Perfumes, Toilet Prep & Cosmetics		-		1	-
Miscellaneous Apparel		-		1	-
Broad Woven Fabric, 1 Man-Made Fibres		-	250 lb	1	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		-		1,464	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		-		1,464	-

EXPORTS FROM CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Sulphur	-	1,385	-
Drilling, Excavating, Mining Machinery	-	239	-
Other End Products	-	119	-
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	-	73	-
Synthetic Rubber & Plastic Materials	-	40	-
Lumber, Softwood	-	23	-
Electric Lighting & Distribution Equipment	-	9	-
Medical & Pharm Products, In Dosage	2	6	+ 200.0
Other Personal & Household Goods	1	2	+ 100.0
Apparel & Apparel Accessories	-	1	-
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	3	1,897	**
TOTAL (all commodities)	1,203	1,898	+ 57.8

EXPORT PERFORMANCE	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	99	-	-	1,464	+ 145.5
CANADA	358	924	250	1,203	1,898	+ 51.7

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

VIETNAM

IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
NO IMPORTS INTO ALBERTA					
TOTAL (commodities listed above)					
TOTAL (all commodities)					

IMPORTS INTO CANADA	1983	1984	% Change
Fish & Marine Animals	98	2,046	**
Other Crude Animal Products	-	76	-
Other Personal & Household Goods	38	31	- 18.4
Other End Products, Inedible	8	30	+ 275.0
Furniture & Fixtures	23	22	- 4.3
Outerwear, Knitted	-	12	-
House Furnishings	4	3	- 25.0
Watches, Clocks, Jewelry & Silverware	3	-	- 100.0
Games, Toys & Children's Vehicles	2	-	- 100.0
Books & Pamphlets	2	-	- 100.0
TOTAL (commodities listed above)	178	2,220	**
TOTAL (all commodities)	178	2,220	**

IMPORT TRENDS	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	Annual Compound % Change
ALBERTA	-	-	3	-	-	-
CANADA	62	657	161	178	2,220	+ 144.6

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada

APPENDICES

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA TO MAJOR REGIONAL MARKETS

UNITED STATES

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Natural Gas	648,265,734 mcf	3,614,186	658,480,655 mcf	3,432,895	- 5.0
Crude Petroleum	66,882,268 bbl	2,212,601	89,566,688 bbl	3,019,486	+ 36.5
Propane Gas, Liquified	403,591,906 gal	253,353	609,766,184 gal	359,057	+ 41.7
Butane Gas, Liquified	362,022,947 gal	315,910	431,646,965 gal	329,001	+ 4.1
Wood Pulp Bleached Kraft Paper, Gr.Soft	8,997,030 cwtad	192,582	10,230,655 cwtad	257,004	+ 33.5
Petroleum & Coal Products	622,121,001 gal	241,774	590,342,866 gal	243,783	+ 0.8
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	1,108,059 ton	67,409	1,850,005 ton	126,891	+ 88.2
Ammonia Anhydrous	11,569,976 cwt	93,107	14,668,656 cwt	106,735	+ 14.6
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	6,468,178 cwt	54,670	11,173,524 cwt	105,668	+ 93.3
Lumber, Spruce Pine Fir SPF	428,557 mbf	89,428	479,958 mbf	96,808	+ 8.3
Urea	9,496,419 cwt	77,442	13,206,977 cwt	95,975	+ 24.0
Gasoline	44,372,839 gal	52,263	62,933,952 gal	76,810	+ 47.0
Cattle, Weight Over 700 lbs	50,676	40,845	87,718	74,815	+ 83.2
Fuel Oil No. 1-3 Stove Furnace Light	44,224,629 gal	52,816	50,695,077 gal	64,871	+ 22.8
Fuel Oil	7,210,960 gal	17,208	38,768,330 gal	45,326	+ 163.4
Acyclic Hydrocarbons & Derivatives	1,564,478 cwt	28,405	2,356,232 cwt	43,279	+ 52.4
Swine	47,479	6,357	276,806	40,209	+ 532.5
Ammonium Nitrate	5,612,940 cwt	36,903	6,049,982 cwt	39,650	+ 74.4
Contractors Equipment and Tools		28,294		36,976	+ 30.7
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	656,755	22,305	1,073,416 cwt	32,081	+ 43.8
Crude Bituminous Substances	2,322,498 bbl	80,454	775,138 bbl	26,073	- 67.7
Particle Board, Reconstituted Wood	20,075,366 sf 5/8	4,358	90,352,432 sf 5/8	25,538	+ 486.0
Polethylene Resins	3,501 cwt	106	719,582 cwt	23,749	**
Whisky in Bulk	4,704,236 p gal	23,390	4,341,239 p gal	23,455	+ 0.3
Beef, Fresh or Frozen	235,951 cwt	25,740	234,461 cwt	23,400	- 9.1
Earth Drilling and Related Mach, Parts		13,814		19,724	+ 42.8
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel, Welded	10,612 ton	5,262	35,924 ton	18,869	+ 258.6
Telephone Apparatus Equipment and Parts.		17,761		18,753	+ 5.6
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		7,135,020		8,806,881	+ 23.4
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		8,088,547		9,334,241	+ 15.4
Barley		10,900		10,601	- 2.7
Oats		-		6,736	-
Wheat		1,791		5,210	+ 190.9
Flaxseed		2,308		1,756	- 23.9
Rye		-		303	-
Canola		213		156	- 26.8
TOTAL (all commodities)		8,103,759		9,359,003	+ 15.5

** Over 999 per cent

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

JAPAN

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Coal	3,948,161 ton	266,311	2,567,938 ton	172,698	- 35.2
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	2,025,440 cwt	23,375	4,456,473 cwt	55,970	+ 139.4
Acyclic Hydrocarbons & Derivatives	1,123,109 cwt	12,587	2,036,053 cwt	25,265	+ 100.7
Hydrocarbons & Their Derivatives	4,410 cwt	47	463,285 cwt	14,552	**
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	47,360 cwt	5,880	37,681 cwt	5,035	- 14.4
Sulphur, Crude or Refined		-	28,989 ton	3,460	-
Beef, Frozen, Boneless	17,961 cwt	2,514	17,865 cwt	2,891	+ 15.0
Nickel & Nickel Alloy, Scrap	30 cwt	4	9,792 cwt	2,667	**
Wood Pulp Bl. Kraft Paper Gr. Soft	134,882 cwtad	2,824	80,518 cwtad	2,180	- 22.8
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	143,239 cwt	4,058	67,923 cwt	1,828	- 55.0
Pork, Fresh or Frozen	21,505 cwt	4,248	8,446 cwt	1,656	- 61.0
Ethers, Alcohol Peroxides & Derivatives	50,042 cwt	902	63,297 cwt	1,155	+ 28.0
Mustard Seed	69,557 cwt	1,181	55,678 cwt	1,079	- 8.6
Canola Oil Cake and Meal	139,462 cwt	1,122	72,775 cwt	678	- 39.6
Air and Gas Compressor Parts		719		358	- 50.2
Beef, Fresh or Frozen	2,648 cwt	373	2,875 cwt	347	- 7.0
Peas, Whole, Dried	1,706,931 lb	334	1,547,643 lb	344	+ 3.0
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Material	432 cwt	125	1,080 cwt	297	+ 137.6
Honey	187,886 lb	160	341,367 lb	284	+ 77.5
Herring Roe, Fresh, Frozen, Cured	1,053 cwt	618	362 cwt	264	- 57.2
Chemical Elements	5,180 cwt	284	5,925 cwt	259	- 8.8
Inorganic Base & Metallic Oxides		-	44,258 cwt	244	-
Cattle Hides, Raw	15,193	537	4,300	209	- 61.1
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		328,203		293,720	- 10.5
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		420,065		326,469	- 22.3
Canola		160,800		197,661	+ 22.9
Wheat		79,051		92,426	+ 16.9
Barley		66,214		54,258	- 18.1
Rye		-		8,867	-
Flaxseed		2,249		1,941	- 13.7
Oats		-		1,168	-
TOTAL (all commodities)		728,379		682,790	- 6.3

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

PACIFIC RIM

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Coal	4,319,557 ton	289,547	3,000,620 ton	201,664	- 30.4
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	958,328 ton	95,066	973,674 ton	110,657	+ 16.4
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	6,650,206 cwt	73,540	8,892,598 cwt	107,545	+ 46.2
Acyclic Hydrocarbons & Derivatives	3,336,729 cwt	36,762	4,176,953 cwt	59,674	+ 62.3
Other Cereals, Milled		33,186		26,609	- 19.8
Man-Made Fibres	13,239,536 lb	18,383	15,537,902 lb	21,744	+ 18.3
Hydrocarbons and Their Derivatives	4,410 cwt	47	651,018 cwt	20,492	**
Inorganic Bases & Metallic Oxides	786,164 cwt	4,358	3,629,723 cwt	13,749	+ 215.5
Urea	-	-	1,230,473 cwt	12,055	-
Canola Oil	285,314 cwt	8,198	260,292 cwt	11,067	+ 35.0
Earth Drilling and Related Mach. & Parts		2,839		7,718	+ 171.9
Plastic and Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	174,579 cwt	5,981	185,233 cwt	6,448	+ 7.8
Petrol, Coal & Gas Production Mach. & Parts		6,588		6,301	- 4.4
Cattle Hides, Raw	60,833	2,418	111,180	5,717	+ 136.4
Horse Meat, Fresh or Frozen	47,489 cwt	5,901	37,681 cwt	5,035	- 14.7
Nickel and Nickel Alloy	442 cwt	83	11,874 cwt	3,248	**
Contractors Equipment and Tools		2,343		3,040	+ 29.7
Beef, Frozen Boneless	17,933 cwt	2,524	17,875	2,897	+ 14.8
Wood Pulp, Bleached Kraft Paper, Grade Soft	136,205 cwtad	2,849	8,635 cwtad	2,289	- 19.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		590,613		627,949	+ 6.3
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		673,763		718,137	+ 6.6
Wheat		330,808		274,982	- 16.9
Canola		167,108		198,298	+ 18.7
Barley		99,162		69,675	- 29.7
Rye		-		14,619	-
Flaxseed		2,382		2,028	- 14.9
Oats		-		1,168	-
TOTAL (all commodities)*		1,273,223		1,278,907	+ 0.4

* 1984 grain exports include country grain shipments to: China, South Korea, India, Japan, Indonesia, Bangladesh, Taiwan, and Sri Lanka.

**Over 999 per cent

NOTE: The countries included are Bangladesh, Sri Lanka, Hong Kong, India, Malaysia, Pakistan, Singapore, Afghanistan, Burma, Khmer Rep - Laos, China, Indonesia, Japan, Korea, North & South, Nepal, Phillippines, Port. Asia, Taiwan, Thailand, Vietnam, Papua, N.G., Australia, Fiji, New Zealand, British Oceania, French Oceania, U.S. Oceania.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	275,183 ton	28,958	436,488 ton	51,428	+ 77.6
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	2,882,779 cwt	32,523	2,559, 962 cwt	23,887	- 26.5
Nickle Anodes Cathodes Ingots Rods		37,923		22,800	- 39.9
Coal	368,579 ton	19,665	358,954 ton	20,201	+ 2.7
Nickel & Nickel Alloy Scrap	-	-	48,312 cwt	13,288	-
Horsemeat, Fresh or Frozen	55,940 cwt	6,746	93,585 cwt	9,286	+ 37.7
Man-Made Fibres	207,946 lb	282	5,883,669 lb	7,764	**
Radioactive Ores & Concentrates	-	-	-	4,972	-
Earth Drilling & Related Mach. & Parts	-	1,912	-	4,206	+ 120.0
Petroleum, Coal, & Gas Prod Mach & Parts		1,628		4,104	+ 152.1
Fancy Meats, Bovine Fresh or Frozen	37,333 cwt	2,371	34,412 cwt	2,426	+ 2.3
Organic Acids, Anhydrides & Derivatives	32,744 cwt	1,130	18,621 cwt	2,167	+ 91.8
Honey	540,096 lb	340	2,328,044 lb	1,363	+ 300.9
Chemical Elements	4,827 cwt	177	34,326 cwt	1,333	+ 653.1
Bottle Washing Filling Mach.	-	30	-	1,250	**
Card Punch Sort Tabs	-	607	-	1,090	+ 79.6
Pumps & Pumping Systems	-	2	-	957	+ 477.5
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Materials	507 cwt	265	3,358 cwt	905	+ 241.5
Peas, Seed	5,093,844 lb	1,167	3,394,760 lb	723	- 38.0
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel	-	-	331 cwt	629	-
Disc Harrows & Parts	36	234	71	532	+ 127.3
Cranes & Derricks	-	-	2	491	-
Indus chem Specialties & Explosives	379 cwt	82	623 cwt	430	+ 424.4
Cobalt	1,688 lb	29	27,844 lb	424	-
Contractors Equipment and Tools		782		405	- 48.2
Aircraft Engines & Parts		1	2	373	**
Beef, Frozen, Boneless	5,842 cwt	427	4,986 cwt	355	- 16.9
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		135,794		177,500	+ 30.7
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		127,485		185,842	+ 45.8
Wheat		108,098		86,119	- 20.3
Barley		67,383		51,216	- 24.0
Canola		6,833		47,792	+ 599.4
Flaxseed		8,496		6,274	- 26.2
TOTAL (all commodities)*		318,295		377,243	+ 18.5

* 1983 grain exports include country grain shipments to: Belgium/Luxembourg, France, Ireland, Italy, Netherlands, United Kingdon, and Federal Republic of Germany.

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**Over 999 per cent

NOTE: The countries included are: Belgium/Luxembourg, Denmark, France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, The Netherlands, United Kingdom, and the Federal Republic of Germany.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

LATIN AMERICA (SOUTH AND CENTRAL AMERICA)

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	625,516 ton	65,823	673,619 ton	80,021	+ 21.6
Coal	260,098 ton	18,005	372,144 ton	24,629	+ 36.8
Plastic & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	91,499 cwt	8,550	88,760 cwt	8,656	+ 1.2
Earth Drilling & Related Mach. & Parts	-	3,844	-	5,241	+ 36.3
Other Cereals, Milled	-	2,087	-	3,448	+ 65.2
Propane Gas, Liquified	4,191,860 gal	2,499	2,871,501 gal	1,721	- 31.1
Nickel and Alloys		110		1,443	**
Pipes & Tubes, Iron & Steel		-	1,676 ton	1,367	-
Contractors Equipment & Tools	-	15		1,340	**
Petroleum, Coal, & Gas Prod. Mach & Parts	-	2,043	-	974	- 52.3
Nitrogen Phosphate & Fertilizers	112,222 cwt	1,674	64,582 cwt	887	- 47.0
Cattle, Purebred	11	16	318	740	**
Motor Vehicles	4	1,777	1	520	- 70.7
Telephone Apparatus Equip. & Parts		245		517	+ 111.0
Insulated Wire & Cable	538 cwt	132	2,216 cwt	513	+ 288.6
Pumps & Pumping Systems		428		456	+ 6.5
Parts & Accessories for Motor Vehicles	-	444	-	416	- 6.3
Urea	155,194 cwt	1,584	37,975 cwt	385	- 75.7
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		109,276		133,274	+ 22.0
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		121,935		141,385	+ 16.0
Wheat		141,293		132,411	- 6.3
Barley		16,923		13,453	- 20.5
Canola		3		11,162	**
TOTAL (all commodities)*		280,165		298,411	+ 6.5

* 1983 grain exports include country grain shipments to: Brazil, Colombia, and Cuba.
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**Over 999 per cent
NOTE: The countries included are Guyana, Falkland Is., Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, French Guiana, Paraguay, Peru, Surinam, Uruguay, Venezuela, Bahamas, Bermuda, Belize, Barbados, Jamaica, Leew-Wind Is., Trinidad-Tobago, Costa Rica, Cuba, Dominican Republic, El Salvador, Fr. West Indies, Guatemala, Haiti, Honduras, Mexico, Neth. Antilles, Nicaragua, Panama, Puerto Rico, U.S. Virgin Is.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

MIDDLE EAST/NORTH AFRICA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983 Quantity	1983 $'000	1984 Quantity	1984 $'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	392,711 ton	42,962	491,749 ton	63,453	+ 47.7
Earth Drilling & Related Mach. & Parts		2,425		8,675	+ 257.7
Hard Spring Wheat Flour	96,533 cwt	4,270	216,011 cwt	3,723	- 12.8
Petroleum Coal & Gas Production Mach. & Parts		1,094		2,447	+ 123.7
Motor Vehicles		-	4	2,092	-
Cranes and Derricks	1	210	3	805	+ 283.3
Organic Acids, Anhydrides and Derv.	3,308 cwt	153	14,808 cwt	694	+ 353.6
Contractors Equipment and Tools		3,313		578	- 82.6
Canola Oil	14,129 cwt	551	11,220 cwt	563	+ 2.2
Plastics, Fabricated Materials	895 cwt	79	5,348 cwt	481	+ 508.9
Telephone Apparatus Equip. & Parts		-		419	-
Woodland Log Handling Equipment		-	1	396	-
Alcohols & Their Derivatives	4,546 cwt	239	5,566 cwt	344	+ 43.9
Lumber, Spruce Pine Fir		-	856 mbf	247	-
Parts and Access. for Motor Vehicles		65		179	+ 175.4
Commercial Telecommunications Equipment		5		125	+ 24.0
Plastics & Synthetic Rubber, Not Shaped	1,984 cwt	69	1,106 cwt	114	+ 65.2
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		55,435		85,335	+ 53.9
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		58,899		86,741	+ 47.3
Wheat		101,529		135,120	+ 33.1
Barley		43,284		45,934	+ 6.1
TOTAL (all commodities)*		203,712		267,795	+ 31.5

* 1983 grain exports include country grain shipments to: Ethiopia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Libya, Syria, Algeria.
* 1984 grain exports include country grain shipments to: Ethiopia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Libya, Syria, Algeria, and Egypt.
**Over 999 per cent
NOTE: The countries included are Bahrain, Cyprus, Qatar, Emirates U. A., Ethiopia, Iran, Iraq, Israel, Jordan, Kuwait, Lebanon, Libya, Oman (Muscat), Saudia Arabia, Somalia, Yemen South, Sudan, Syria, Turkey, Egyptian A.R., Yemen North, Algeria, Morocco, Tunisia.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture

AFRICA

EXPORTS FROM ALBERTA	1983		1984		
	Quantity	$'000	Quantity	$'000	% Change
Sulphur, Crude or Refined	233,159 ton	22,042	539,918 ton	60,111	+ 172.7
Earth Drilling & Related Mach. & Parts		107		4,771	**
Contractors Equipment and Tools		1,234		3,547	+ 18.7
Hard Spring Wheat Flour		-	56,572 cwt	920	-
Nickel & Alloy Fabricated Material	14,402 cwt	5,165	2,377 cwt	879	- 83.0
Canola Oil		-	5,509 cwt	243	-
Aircraft Assemblies Equipment and Parts		167		196	+ 17.4
Petrol, Coal, Gas Production, Machinery, Parts		1,105		116	- 89.5
Metal Fabricated Basic Products		-		96	-
Construction Machinery and Equipment		52		92	+ 76.9
Agricultural Machinery and Equipment		-		79	-
Milk Powder		-	480 cwt	61	-
Structural Architectural Metal Products		135		58	- 57.0
Plows and Parts		-		45	-
Machine Tools Metalwork & Parts		-		36	-
Excavating Dredging Machinery & Parts		-		30	-
Parts & Access. for Motor Vehicles		-		30	-
Plastic Film and Sheet		-	123 cwt	25	-
Parts for Construction Machinery Equipment		3		22	+ 633.3
TOTAL (commodities listed above)		30,010		71,357	+ 137.8
TOTAL (all commodities except grains)		33,646		73,947	+ 119.8
Wheat		1,732		15,590	+ 800.1
Barley		-		221	-
TOTAL (all commodities)*		35,378		89,758	+ 153.7

* 1984 grain exports include country grain shipments to: Nigeria, South Africa, Africa, nes.

**Over 999 per cent

NOTE: The countries included are: The Gambia, Ghana, Kenya, Malawi, Mauritius-Dep., Nigeria, South Africa, Zimbabwe, Sierra Leone, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia, Cwealth Af. nes., Angola, Cameroon, Zaire, Benin, Fr. Africa nes., Gabon, Guinea, Ivory Coast, Liberia, Madagascar, Mauritania, Mozambique, Port. Africa nes., Senegal, Spanish Africa, Togo.

SOURCE: Statistics Canada and Alberta Agriculture